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OUTLINES.

The Georgia delegates went to Denver with the purpose of opposing Mr. Bryan's nomination if they could get any backing, but say they find themselves "alone in the wilderness"——The Southeastern Railroads announce an early increase in most all kinds of freight rates from Mississippi and Ohio crossings to points in the South——The Naval Academy practice squadron commander asks that the base of operations be moved from New London because of discriminations made there against sailors of this squadron——At Denver the Pennsylvania delegation selects Guffey as its State's National Committeeman in defiance of Mr. Bryan's demand for his displacement. Murphy will not show his hand and it is not known for whom New York's 78 delegates will vote. Were he to declare against Mr. Bryan the opposition say enough would fall in line to give it over a third of the delegates. The question of candidate for Vice President is one on which the delegates at present seem hopelessly divided——President Finley spoke at the Asheville Board of Trade banquet last night on "Asheville and Western North Carolina," touching upon the natural resources of that section for manufacture and the attraction of outside capital——The Roosevelt, with Commander Peary and party aboard, bound in search of the North Pole, sailed from New York yesterday. She will stop at Oyster Bay whence Peary will return to New York and meet his ship at Sydney——The North Carolina Socialist party held its convention in Winston yesterday and nominated a full State ticket. It voted one man out of the party, a justice of the peace, for holding office under another party——The reports from Bishop Potter yesterday were that he was still slowly improving——Mr. Taft and the politicians who were at Hot Springs to confer with him had a game of base ball with the newspaper men yesterday. The candidate knocked what was thought would be a home run but was caught out by his son Charlie, who was playing second base on the other side——Informal and self-appointed sub-committees in Denver were yesterday and last night trying to draft a platform which would suit Mr. Bryan and be adopted by the convention——Twelve persons died from heat and 80 were prostrated by it in New York city yesterday. Tenement-house dwellers spent last night out of doors trying to get some fresh air while attempting to sleep.——New York markets: Money on call easy 1 to 1 1-4 per cent., ruling rate 1 1-4, closing bid 1, offered at 1 1-4, time loans easy. Spot cotton quiet, 10 points lower, middling uplands 11.30, middling gulf 11.55. Flour quiet but firm. Wheat spot strong, 99 to 1.00 elevator, options 1 1-4 to 1 1-2 net higher. Corn spot strong, No. 2, 82 nominal elevator. Oats firmer 55 to 56. Rosin steady $3,200. Turpentine quiet 43.

The Nebraska Democratic platform will, no doubt, form the basis for the one adopted at Denver.

It will hardly take the Democrats at Denver as long to nominate a ticket as it did those at Charlotte.

Mr. Bryan says "you can't fool the American working man." He ought to know from personal experience.

The ball opens in Denver today. We suppose all arrangements have been made for Mr. Bryan's nomination.

We are having some good seashore weather now. All who can do so are going to the beaches to get the ocean breezes.

Of course General Wright would not declare to the public that he expected to be a member of Mr. Taft's cabinet.

The subscription list of the Commoner is expected to grow wonderfully, whether Mr. Bryan is elected or defeated.

Some of those who are now advocating the eulogizing of Cleveland, dead, should have thought about doing justice to Cleveland, alive.

The talk about Judge Pritchard for the next vacancy on the Federal Supreme Court shows how rapidly he has risen in the past few years.

Charlotte must consider it quite a victory to have won the Republican State convention from the city recognized as the headquarters of that party.

Judge Pritchard would hardly be willing to give up his life time office for the purpose of leading the forlorn hope of his party in this State. Were he sure of success the swap would be a bad one for him.

It is said Mr. Taft will be in Charlotte at the time of the Republican State convention and will make a speech. We do not reckon it will be of the character as the one he made to his Republican friends at the Greensboro meeting a while back.

HARDWARE DEALERS

Fourth [illegible]al Convention of Association[illegible] The Carolinas at Wrights[illegible] Today.

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DELEGATES ARE [illegible]RIVING

Three Days' Sessions at Seashore Hotel and Side Trip on Cape Fear. Interesting Papers and Matters of Business.

Many delegates and their friends are arriving for the fourth annual convention of the Retail Mardware Association of the Carolinas which will convene at 10 o'clock this morning at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, continuing in session through Thursday night, when an elegant banquet will be given.

It is expected that this will be the largest convention to assemble at the beach this year and arrangements are being made to entertain the visitors handsomely. The local committee of arrangements is composed of Messrs. Jos. N. Jacobi (charman), B. R. Hoshall (secretary) and W. E. Perdew and they have everything well in hand. Very handsomely engraved official programmes have been issued in the form of a year book for 1908 and these are being distributed to members.

The Carolina Association is affiliated with the National Retail Hardware Association and is officered as follows: President, W. N. Everett, of Rockingham, N. C.; Vice Presidents E. Walker Duval, Cheraw, S. C., R. H. McDuffie, Fayetteville, N. C., and W. H. Smith Gaffney, S. C.; Secretary and Treasurer Paul McClure, Greenwood, S. C.; Executive Committeemen W. N. Everett, E. Walker Duval, R. H. McDuffie, W. H. Smith, Paul McClure, W. H. Jones, Abbeville, S. C., and Fred S. Smyre, Gastonia, N. C.

The opening session will be called to order at 10 o'clock this morning by President Everett, who will make a few introductory remarks and followed by the song "America" the address of welcome will be by Mayor William E. Springer. The responses will be by Mr. E. Walker Duval for the members and Mr. W. W. Watt for the associate members. There will be two addresses at the morning session—"How Best to Get Legislation Through," by Mr. W. M. Otis, manager of the Columbia Lumber & Mfg. Co., and "Hardware Advertising" by Mr. R. D. Baldwin, of Fitchburg, Mass. advertising manager Simond Mfg. Co., and member of the Boston Ad. Men's Club. These papers will be followed by the opening of the question box, enrollment of new members and a reception and introduction of delegates and members. The afternoon will be given to examining exhibits in the auditorium of which there will be a large number.

Wednesday the visitors will go for a boat excxursion to points of interest around Wilmington, the Fort and the government works. Luncheon will be served on the boat and at 11 o'clock an executive session will be held on the steamer at which the reports of standing committees and that of the secretary and treasurer will be received. The delegates expect to return in time to hold an afternoon session at the hotel when dues will be paid, new members will be enrolled and the Association will listen to three addresses—"How to Get Best results From Our Clerks" by T. W. Dixon, manager of the Southern Hardware Co., Charlotte; "The National Pure Paint Law" by Mr. M. C. Thompson, Southern Manager of the H. B. Davis Company, Baltimore, and "Hardware Mutual Fire Insurance" by Mr. W. P. Lewis, of the National Hardware Fire Mutual Insurance Co. The question box will be opened later and at 5 o'clock adjournment will be had.

Thursday the sessions will be resumed with routine business and an address, "Parcels Post and the Retailer" by Mr. M. L. Corey, of Argos, Ind., secretary of the National Retail Hardware Association. This will be followed by the election of officers, selection of next place of meeting and winding up odds and ends of the convention. At 9 o'clock the banquet will begin. Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach are delighted to have this distinguished body of business men and the Star hopes that their sojourn among us may be both pleasant and profitable.

DEATH OF MRS. SKIPPER

Had Been Ill Some Time and Death Was Not Unexpected.

After an acute illness, Mrs. Mary Skipper wife of Mr. S. V Skipper, died early yesterday morning at her home, No. 13 Wooster street. Her death created the deepest sadness in a large concourse of relatives and friends. The deceased was forty-one years of age and surviving, besides her husband, is a son and daughter, Miss Viola Skipper and Mr. Wesley Skipper.

The funeral was conducted from the home yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Elder J. T. Johnson, pastor of the Advent Christian church, of which Mrs. Skipper was a devoted member and the remains were conveyed to Elam church, in Brunswick county, where they were interred.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Regular Monthly Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon—Much Routine and Unimportant Business—Play Grounds.

The Board of County Commissioners was in regular monthly session for two hours yesterday afternoon but transacted no business of importance. Members present were Chairman McEachern and Commissioners Divine, Robertson and Alexander.

Mr. J. A. Taylor appeared before the Board and presented a petition from residents and property owners of East Wilmington asking that the Board macadamize the Princess street road from the bridge to the avenue and the avenue itself so as to connect the Princess street road with the Market street road. The matter was referred to the Road Committee.

Mrs. C. A. Mintz, of Masonboro, was granted $2 per month on outside poor list and Caledonia Roderick was granted admission to the County Home provided she desired to enter there.

Rev. R .W. Hogue addressed a petition to the Board through the chairman asking use of the Court House green as playgrounds for children, a movement in which he is greatly interested. The matter was referred to Chairman Vollers, of the Public Building Committee.

E. J. W. Anders was appointed to survey certain lands entered by H. L. Horne.

Bellamy & Bellamy, county attorneys, reported collections of $220.70 back taxes during June.

Application of George Grimstead for position of janitor of Court House was read and ordered on file.

The matter of the payment of jury tickets issued by order of Judge Neal when court took a recess last term for the prohibition election, was referred to the County Attorney for an opinion.

Tax lister B. S. Montford, of Masonboro township, made report and the returns were filed with the Clerk of the Board.

Contract for feeding .county live stock during July was awarded to W. B. Cooper at 62 1-2 cents for mixed oats, 63 1-2 for white, 92 1-2 cents for mixed corn; $1.45 for cracked corn in 80 pound bags and $18 for No. 1 Timothy hay.

Mr. Geo. Rountree appeared before the Board and asked the establishment of a road from the turnpike to the baseball grounds in order to keep persons from trespassing on the Cape Fear Golf Club property. The matter was referred to the Road Committee.

The usual monthly reports were received, that of the Superintendent of Health showing two quarantines for scarlatina and one for diphtheria during June. Eleven cases of typhoid fever were reported; 182 patients were treated in the office and 14 during the month. All the county institutions were reported in good sanitary condition.

The Register of Deeds reported 30 marriage licenses for the month and payment of $28.50 for fees into the treasury.

Road Superintendent H. Hocutt reported use of 39 cars of rock on Masonboro road, completing one-half mile and grading one-quarter mile of same. A new bridge was built on turnpike near test farm and piling driven for new bridge over Hewlett's creek, on Masonboro road. The road leading from Greenville station to Greenville Sound was covered with sea-weed as it was impossible to get straw. One hundred and ten loads of saw dust were laid on sand hill on Middle Sound road, this work being done by 15 convicts and eight carts. Total number of convicts on road and in rock quarry, 67. Number of days lost by sickness, 136, Sundays not included. The entire force lost five days on account of rain.

County Home Superintendent Hardee reported 15 patients, four white and 11 colored, and 20 convicts, all colored in the Home during the month.

TIN WEDDING CELEBRATION.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Weatherby Have Pretty Anniversary Event.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Faison, N. C., July 4.—The tenth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Weatherby was happily celebrated at their hospitable home this evening. Engraved invitations were sent out to their many friends to attend the reception, from 4 to 7 o'clock. Each guest was met on the walk and presented a tin spoon, on which was the monogram "H—W 1898 and 1908," a souvenir of the happy occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Weatherby greeted the guests in the spacious hallway of their residence and received congratulations, when the guests were ushered into the hall, two spacious tables, displaying the unique remembrances of their friends.

Dainty refreshments were served on the lawn, during the reception hours and at 7:30 o'clock a course dinner was enjoyed by the 1898 bridal party and the family. Absence of some of the bridal party was felt in this happy celebration. The home was beautifully decorated and the white columns of the balcony glistened amid bowers of green and trailing ivy. This pleasant occasion will be remembered in the hearts of the Faison people and all wish the beloved couple continued happiness and prosperity.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Regular Monthly Meeting Last Night Largely Engaged With Unimportant Matters.

REPORTS OF DEPARTMENTS

Standing Committees All Tell of Their Work—Hydrant to be Placed at Seventeenth and Market Other News Notes.

The Board of Aldermen was in session a little less than two hours last night but the meeting was engaged largely with routine and unimportant matters. The absence of the usual number of spectators at the Council's sitting was noticeable and was a harbinger of the dull session that followed.

The Board was called to order at 8:30 o'clock, all members being present except Alderman Bolles. Minutes of preceding regular and special meetings were read and approved.

The usual monthly reports were read and received. There were five fire alarms during the month and a property loss of not exceeding $200. The Superintendent of Health reported 49 deaths, 58 births, 5,184 inspections by health officers and 9,531 lime and acid orders issued. The Chief of Police reported 161 arrests during the month, 51 of the defendants being white and 110 colored.

The City Clerk and Treasurer reported a balance of $27,195.72 on hand June 1st, and collections of $6,975.32 during the month, making a grand total of $34,171.04. The disbursements were $14,384.70, leaving a balance of $19,786.34 to July account, of which amount $10,393.14 is deposited with the Murchison National Bank, the remainder to the credit of the coupon account and $1,483.20 in cash and cash items.

Upon recommendation of Acting Chairman O'Brien, of the Finance Committee, the usual loan of $40,000 at the lowest obtainable rate of interest was authorized to tide the city over the Summer months until tax gathering time. The Mayor and chairman of the committee are authorized to negotiate the loan in amounts as needed.

Chairman Ellis of the Sanitary Committee, reported the completion of the "Panama Canal" in Fifth ward. Chairman Ellis also read a certificate from a majority of the physicians of the city, giving it as their opinion that much sickness is caused by the unsanitary condition of Macomber's ditch and a release of rights by property owners where the proposed drainage by the city will be run on private ground was presented. This was all in the way of an appropriation heretofore made for draining two blocks on either side of Market street and the Board by unanimous vote renewed the appropriation of $10,000 for draining these four blocks with assurances from the Board of Audit and Finance that it will be concurred in.

Chairman Northrop, of the Light Committee, reported much trouble with the arc lamps but expressed the hope that there would be improvement soon.

Acting Chairman French reported for the Streets and Wharves Committee that the lumber would soon be on the grounds for the repair of Fourth and Fifth street bridges. The trouble was the difficulty of getting heart, pine lumber. Chairman French reported also that the street at Third and Dawson would be graded so that proposed building there can be done provided the property owner, Mr. Thos. Lossen, will build the retaining wall if one is necessary. Mr. Lossen was present and spoke of what was needed. The matter was referred to the Streets and Wharves Committee with power to act.

Alderman J. A. Karr called attention to the condition of Harnett, between Fourth and Fifth streets, and the need of some improvement there. Referred to committee.

Aldrman O'Brien read a written report of the placing of the street signs, giving detailed information as to location, etc. The total cost of the improvement was $476.90, leaving a small balance out of the appropriation of $500. A very cordial vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. O'Brien for his services in the matter. Mr. French spoke especially of the fine work of Mr. O'Brien in this regard.

Chairman Wood, of the Water Committee, made a written report of its findings in regard to the hydrant at Second and Brunswick streets, recommending that the city pay the water rental, there being no record of what agreement was reached between the Standard Oil Co., and the city in regard to maintaining the hydrant the whole matter having been handled at the time by Building Inspector H. E. Bonitz. Upon motion of Mr. O'Brien the matter was referred back to the committee with power to act.

Chairman Wood also recommended that a hydrant be installed at 17th and Market streets. Upon motion of Mr. O'Brien the Water Works Committee was authorized to place a hydrant there and an appropriation was made to cover same.

Chairman French, of the Fire Committee, reported the resignations of H. L. Howard and J. E. Ennett and W. L. Twitty and John C. Thomas were elected in their stead.

A petition from the Independent Ice Company asking for the early opening of Fifth street bridge was referred to the Streets and Wharves Committee. This concluded the business before the Board and the Mayor and members of the council repaired to the back porch of the public building and were guests of Police Chief Williams at a sumptuous watermelon feast.

Surf Bathing
Go down to Lumina and take a dip in the surf. Lumina has excellent bathing facilities. Cars to Lumina every half hour. 2t

THE SPECIAL TERM ENDS

Will Richardson Gets Thirty Years For Murder in Second Degree. Several to State Penitentiary—Long Siege.

With the return of a verdict of guilty of murder in the second degree against Will Richardson, who was charged with the double killing of Josephine Pigford and Slocum Williams in Kellog's alley last Christmas and the sentencing of the prisoner for the extreme limit of 30 years in the State penitentiary, the special term of New Hanover Superior Court for the trial of criminal causes, Judge Robert B. Peebles presiding, came to a close yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

The term had been extended over into this week on account of the Fourth of July holiday, the court having been unable to complete the trial of Richardson on Friday. Yesterday morning the State concluded its case with the introduction of Rachel Revels, a colored witness arrested by Constable Savage in Fayetteville Saturday, and another woman coralled by Justice Sykes in Brunswick county on the same day. The defendant himself went on the stand and also his mother for the defence. This closed the case for both sides. Chas. C. Loughlin, Esq., made a clear and very forcible presentation for the State and was followed by Brooke G. Emple, Esq., for the prisoner. Solicitor Duffy closed for the State in his usual strong and forcible manner and with the charge of His Honor, the jury retired about 2:30 o'clock. Court reconvened at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and shortly before 5 o'clock the jury announced its readiness with a verdict and the return was made as stated above. Judge Peebles passed the extreme sentence of 30 years under the law and the jury was discharged with the thanks of the court for its unusually patient service under the circumstances. The twelve men had been kept together since Friday about noon in charge of Deputy Sheriff W. H. Cox, though permitted to go to the beach for the Fourth, attended the ball games in a body, etc. They were very comfortably quartered at the beach at the Ocean View Hotel.

Splendid work has been done by Judge Peebles and Solicitor Duffy at this term of court, only three capital cases now remaining on the docket—Furman Lee, a young white man charged with killing a colored boy at Owen Smith's restaurant a Sunday afternoon last Winter; Mary McDaniel, the colored woman charged with arson, and Charles Hall, the young negro brought back from New York to answer for the murder of Jim Singleton, at Seventh and Castle streets, six years ago.

Sam Glover, colored, charged with the murder of Albert Jones, has been convicted and sentenced to be hanged; Timothy Clemmons for an attempted felonious assault has been sentenced to 15 years in the State prison; Eugene Jackson, colored, to 15 years for burglary in the second degree; Robert Bolton, 15 years for attempted assault, and Will Richardson, 30 years for murder in the second degree. Tom Wells, convicted in the same case with Robert Bolton has had his sentence changed to nine years on the roads instead of ten years in the State prison.

Other sentences to the roads are: John Robinson, carrying concealed weapons, six months; Geo. Lowe, assault with deadly weapon four months; Bert Green, carrying concealed weapons, four months; Simon Allen, assault with deadly weapon, 12 months; H. W. Redwine, breaking and entering house, nine years on roads.

The only other entry on the docket yesterday was a submission in the case of Grace Cleveland, charged with conducting a disorderly house on a presentment by the grand jury last March. She was let off with the costs.

Both Solicitor Duffy and Judge Peebles for the next week or ten days will enjoy their vacations, the special term of two weeks here being out of the time alloted to them.

Moonlight This Evening.

A delightful moonlight trip is anticipated by many who expect to go with the Baraca Class of Grace Methodist church down the Cape Fear this evening. The steamer Wilmington, which has been engaged to convey the pleasure seekers, will leave Market street dock at 8:15 o'clock. The arrangement committee has planned the trip splendidly and all who go will have a pleasant time.

SHAKE-UP IN LEAGUE

Newbern Club Withdraws Leaving Wilmington With "The Bag to Hold."

MEETING IN GOLDSBORO

Officers in Session All Night to Transfer Franchise But no Agreement is Reached—The Games of Yesterday.

Results Yesterday.
Wilmington-Newbern, Forfeit.
Wilson 2, Goldsboro 0.
Raleigh 7, Kinston 0.

Games Today.
Wilmington at Wilmington.
Wilson at Goldsboro.
Kinston at Raleigh.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct
Wilson	15	5	.750
Wilmington	14	9	.608
Raleigh	12	9	.571
Goldsboro	10	9	.526
Kinston	6	13	.315
Newbern	5	17	.227

(By Long Distance Telephone.)

Goldsboro, N. C., July 7.—(2:30 A. M.).—Following the unceremonious withdrawal of the Newbern Club Saturday night, notice of which the officials did not receive until Sunday, the directors of the Eastern Carolina Baseball League were in session here practically all night in an effort to transfer the franchise of that city to some other town, but late tonight from the room in which the meeting was being held at the Hotel Kennon, it was given out that there would be no statement for the press this morning. It is safe to assume that nothing definite, has been done toward transferring the franchise but the matter is expected to be closed up later in the day.

The announcement of Newbern's withdrawal was received officially without previous notice by President Washington at Wilson Sunday and he immediately convened the directors in Goldsboro tonight, all the clubs being represented, Manager Gwaltney, of Wilmington, being among the number. Had the Newbern club been kept intact it would have been possible to have transferred them to Wilmington as orphans for the games there the first three days of the week, but the men were paid off and given their releases, at once scattering to the four winds of the earth.

Among the towns which have applied for the franchise are Petersburg, Va., which has a splendid independent team; Fayetteville, which has already applied for the franchise; Henderson, which is a splendid ball town, and Rocky Mount, which was one of the original applicants for a franchise but which withdrew upon the Leagues' refusal to play otherwise than under the National League agreement. Either one of these towns will be admitted or one of the other clubs, most probably Kinston, will drop out, making it a four-club circuit. Mr. Mills, of Wilson, was dispatched by President Washington to Petersburg Sunday to talk over the clubs proposition with the independent team there. The other towns in the League as at present constituted are no quitters and while Newbern forfeited $350 by her action, the other cities are game enough to see that the sport is continued. The effort to transfer the Newbern games to Wilmington this week was a failure, the best of the players being snapped up by other teams in the circuit.

Game at Goldsboro.

Goldsboro, N. C., July 6.—Wilson won in a pitcher's battle here today, score 2 to 0. Moore, first man up walked, Wagner bunted a pop fly to first baseman, who dropped it, allowing Moore and Wagner to land safely on first and second. Holt sacrificed, out pitcher to first, Miller out fly to center, Moore scoring on the throw in, Guerrant out fly to left. In the sixth, Moore first up, hit safely for two bases and while playing off, the catcher threw to second catching him between the bases. Second baseman threw to third and Moore ran into the third baseman causing him to loose the ball Moore scoring before he could recover. The Score by innings:

Wilson	100 001 000	2	2	1
Goldsboro	000 000 000	0	3	3

Batteries: Odgen and Hugg; Caldwell and Bennett.

Summary: Earned runs 0; stolen bases, Yerkes 2; two base hit, Moore; double play, Miller to Getting to Holt; struck out, by Ogle 7, Caldwell 5; base on balls, Caldwell 1; hit by pitched ball, Caldwell 1; left on bases, Goldsboro 1, Wilson 4; sacrifice hits, Holt, Miller and Turner; time of game 1:40; umpire, Henderson; attendance 500.

Raleigh Defeats Kinston.

Raleigh, N. C., July 6.—Kinston fell a victim to Raleigh 7 to 0 this afternoon in a game in which three batters for Raleigh, Warren, Hoffman and Dawson lined out three-baggers while only two Raleigh batters were

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DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

For Governor—W. W. Kitchin.
For Lieut. Governor—W. C. Newland.
For Secretary of State—J. Bryan Grimes.
For State Treasurer—B. R. Lacy.
For State Auditor—B. F. Dixon.
For Attorney General—T. W. Bickett.
For Commissioner of Agriculture—W. A. Graham.
For Corporation Commissioner—B. F. Aycock.
For Superintendent of Education—J. Y. Joyner.
For Insurance Commissioner—J. R. Young.
For Labor Commissioner—M. L. Shipman.

THE CONVENTION TODAY.

This is the big day at Denver of the Democratic National party, or rather it is the first of the several big days of the party; for, of course, the work of the convention will not be completed in one day. The body may be in session three days, unless the nominating and seconding speeches are considerably curtailed and the platform as presented to the resolutions committee meets no serious opposition from any of its members or on the floor of the convention. Today will be devoted to temporary organization and passage of resolutions eulogistic of Mr. Cleveland, when adjournment will be taken in respect to his memory. Mr. Bryan and his running mate may be nominated tomorrow and the platform will either be adopted on the same day or action upon it will be deferred until Thursday. There will be nothing to keep the convention in session longer than the third day. The greater probability is that the work can be gotten through with on the second day; that is, if the Bryanites will show the overwhelming majority of delegates they claim to have.

A feature of the convention which will be of personal interest to those in attendance is a statement by a prominent New York physician who says that those visitors to the convention city whose homes are in low sections of the country will be assuming a risk in attending because of the great altitude of the Colorado city, which is a mile above sea level. Those with weak hearts will be liable to attack. Persons with any tendency to Bright's disease will also be in danger. This New York doctor says "acute Bright's disease is not common in Denver, but it is particularly severe when it does occur" and that "nervous persons are more apt to be disturbed in their sleep in Denver than at the sea level if they are physically overworked." If all this and more that the New York doctor says on this subject be true ,it is well for many of the delegates that there is no danger of such strenuous times as were experienced at the Charlotte convention.

A Richmond, Va., dispatch of a day or so ago stated that A. L. Carson, a clerk in a clothing store in that city had inherited a fortune of eight million dollars from an uncle who had just died in New York. Wonder if Mr. Carson would not swap this eight million dollar fortune on paper for as many thousands or hundreds to his credit in a Richmond bank?

JOEL CHANDLER HARRIS.

The following is the News and Observer's editorial comment on the death of this gifted son of the South:

"There is sorrow in the land today at the passing away of a man who has brought cheer and happiness to many homes, for in the passing into the beyond of Joel Chandler Harris this country has lost one who has made it a happier land.

"The children of America and of the world have lost a loved companion and friend in the death of 'Uncle Remus,' who was Joel Chandler Harris, and the older children have lost the wise advice of a man who put philosophy into his writings, a man who has made the world happier because he lived in it.

"That child who has not had the joy of hearing what 'Uncle Remus' had to say is a child who has lost much, for he knew how to reach the heart of childhood. Who is it that has not been delighted with 'Brer Rabbit' and his adventures, the 'Tar Baby' and all that happened to him, and the many other stories of the folk lore of childhood and of the South which have caused so much delight?

"'Uncle Remus' has gone across the great divide, but the things he has written are living and he yet speaks to us. In the name of childhood, the white lily of the human race, we lay immortelles upon his tomb. God rest him for he has made the world happier because he lived."

That paper speaks the truth when it says "he made the world happier because he lived in it"—happier in a broader and higher sense than in merely furnishing amusing and interesting stories from folk lore, but because in much of his writing there was a purifying and uplifting element which could not fail to have effect of doing good and therefor causing happiness. The good that this man has done will live long after him in his writings.

NORTH CAROLINA AT DENVER.

North Carolina will figure in the Denver convention more than usual in Democratic National gatherings if it be true as reported that, in addition to Governor Glenn making the second speech in proposing Mr. Bryan's name, Senator Overman will make a speech nominating Mr. Glenn for second place. The latter is a mere rumor and we do not assert that Mr. Overman has any idea of doing so. Perhaps, however, the North Carolina delegation will want to compliment the Governor by doing the "favorite son" stunt, knowing that it would be most gratifying to the Governor and be to him a flattering episode of his political retirement.

Photo-Era, the American Journal of Photography, is the leading monthly on this subject. The contents of the July number will undoubtedly be of considerable interest to both professionals and amateurs. The usual departments are bright and timely, and with this issue a new one appears to be known as "Our Illustrations." This is intended to be instructive in both the artistic and technical phases of photography. The pictures reproduced each month will be commented upon and used to illustrate various principles in composition and pictorial treatment generally. Complete date will also be published telling the exact conditions under which each picture was made. This department will be of inestimable value to beginners. The address of the publishing company is 383 Boylston Street, Boston, Mass., price $1.50 per year or 15 cents a copy.

The Newbern Sun for several days has been on its second annual lap in race of a new venture in daily jurnalism. It "made good" to such extent in its first cycle that we feel sure it will be able not only to keep up the pace, but to increase it by the rule of geometrical progression through the many years we hope it is destined to give light to Eastern North Carolina.

The delegates to the Denver convention would have saved a heap of money and accomplished the same purpose as by going, had those of each State made up a purse for his expenses and sent one of their members to represent them all. Even that sum could have been saved by sending a written proxy to Mr. Bryan's convention manager.

The managers of the most prominent candidate for the Democratic nomination have not seen fit to follow the example of the Republicans and publishing before hand their proposed national party platform. The Republicans' course was an unusual one to pursue, and a dangerous one unless sure of a safe majority in the convention.

McCall's Magazine, "The Queen of Fashion," for July, will be found by the ladies to be a thing of beauty and a joy to them. It is published by the McCall Company, 236 West 37th street. New York City, at fifty cents a year, which is remarkably cheap considering its contents.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The University of Chicago is talking of training girls as life-savers. After that every good swimmer in that part of the world will find pleasure in being seized with a cramp.—Newbern Sun.

—There is justice in the protest of the Bryanites at the effort that will be made in the Denver convention to pass a set of resolutions prepared in New York eulogizing the late ex-President Cleveland. The convention would honor itself by paying tribute to the memory of the only Democratic President the country has had since the war but the impropriety of employing a mark of respect to emphasize the factional differences that exist in the party is so plain that it is amazing that one of Judge Parker's stamp could be induced to lend such a proposition his endorsement.—Salisbury Post.

—The United States Congress, which recently adjourned, voted one and one-tenth billions of dollars to pay the expenses of the Government. To put the amount in figures, it is about $1,100,000,000. A writer in the Review of Reviews for July, in order to give a definite idea of how much money a billion is, figures out that a billion of money in twenty-dollar yellow backs would weigh over seventy tons. Compactly stacked against the Washington Monument, they would make twenty-five separate piles, 550 feet high, reaching from the monument's foundation to its very top. To count a billion silver dollars, the best Treasury expert, working eight hours every business day, would require a century and three years more.—New Orleans Picayune.

—It is eminently desirable in this country that there should be an approximately equal division of parties and consequently a strong opposition to that which is responsible for the administration of the Government. We have not been in that fortunate position since the close of President Cleveland's second term on the fourth of March, 1897. The fatal facility of the Democratic party for going wrong on the money question at a critical time betrayed it into weakness in the campaign of 1896 and the persistency of the kind of leadership to which it yielded then has prevented any considerable recovery of strength. Four years ago it reverted in a half-hearted way to a conversative position, but the incubus of its record in two preceding campaigns still weighed upon it. It had done nothing and promised nothing that was calculated to beget new confidence. The influence of the sinister leadership of 1896 was still upon it and its force seems to be renewed this year. It is unfortunate to have the party in power able to rely for success upon a rooted distrust of the opposition, for then its politicians will feel free to pursue their course with little regard for the public interests where these conflict with their own or with those from which the party derives some factitious advantages.—New York Journal of Commerce

—The Aldrich-Vreeland currency measure is now law, but bankers are very far from falling over each other in haste to organize national currency associations under its provisions. The Secretary of the Treasury may not incorporate an association unless it consists of at least ten banks having at least $5,000,000 capital and situated in contiguous territory. Clearly the number of banks and the size of the area necessary to meet these requirements would militate against organization in many sections even if such diffusiveness were not of itself decidedly objectionable where important joint liabilities are planned. Then, of course, there is the well-recongnized fact that the issuable currency will cost the banks so much as to render it, except for stock-speculation loans, profitable only in times of panic. Thus not a few large Eastern banks which contemplate forming associations that tight times may not catch them less prepared than others will be very slow to issue any notes. But the crowning objection from every bank's standpoint against forming associations and against having the associations issue notes if formed lies in the fact that release from the joint liabilities at even a remote date might well be impossible to obtain.—Charlotte Observer.

TWINKLINGS.

—All the world may not exactly love a lover, but it always takes quite an interest in his letters when they are read to the jury.—Puck.

—Gillespie—I wonder what sort of collector I would make? Hardrum—You might let me have $20 for ten days and find out.—Smart Set.

—Nini—George says that my beauty intoxicates him. Elsie—I heard that he said you were enough to drive a man to drink.—Journal Amusant.

—"Do you go to Sunday school, little boy?" "Nope." "Don't say 'Nope' that isn't right." "Well, if I said 'Yep' I'd be tellin' yer a lie."—Boston Transcript.

—All True.—"John, were you really visiting a friend last night?" "Sure." "And was he really sick?" "You bet he was sick. He never won a pot."—Kansas City Journal.

—The New Jersey man who found $50,000 in bonds in his well was not rattled. "The first thing I'll do," he said, "will be to squeeze the water out of these."—Philadelphia Ledger.

—A Verbal Bracer—"My wife," said the first clubman, "always mixes me a cacktail when I go home feeling frazzled." "You're in luck,' declared the second clubman. "The best I get is a chin fizz."—Kansas City Journal.

—"There came a time in my life,' admits the Philosopher of Folly, "when I did not know which way to turn, or what step to take next. A word from my dancing master put me right however.'—Cleveland Leader.

—An Ultimatum—"He has no job." "Father, I am determined to marry the man of my choice." "Very well. But it will be useless to fix on this abode as the boarding house of your choice, that's all."—Washington Herald.

—"Figures dont lie," remarked the man who utters aphorisms. "That's true so far as mathematics is concerned," answered the campaigner. "But in politics a back number is liable to prevaricate some."—Washington Star.

—"I just saw Gudger, and he was very happy indeed." "Why, that's funny. I saw him this morning and he seemed gloomy enough. He said he was having a peck of trouble——" "Well, he appears to have disposed of that peck in a pint flask."—Philadelphia Press.

—Oldum—Persevere, my boy, persevere! There's only one way to accomplish your purpose, and that is: "Stick to it." Youngman—But suppose your purpose is to remove a sheet of flypaper that you've sat down upon unthinkingly?— Philadelphia Press.

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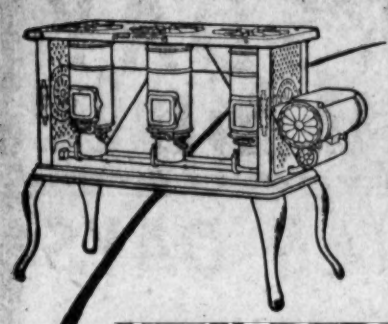

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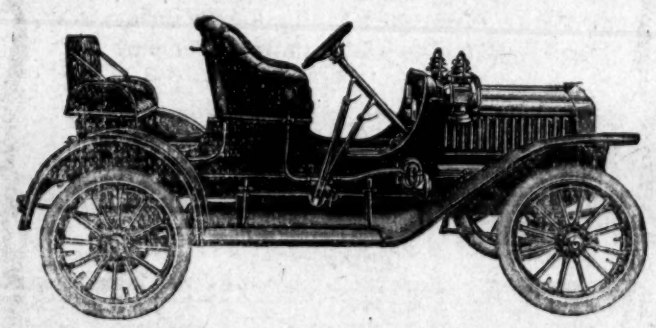

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Beating the Bryans.

By LESTER CORNING.

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"That woman is back again," snapped Mrs. Paulding. Her son smiled. "That" woman could be none other than Mrs. Bryan, the only person in Glendale who dared challenge Mrs. Paulding's pretensions to social leadership.

"They got in last night," said Fred mildly. "They had three weeks at the shore, two weeks in the mountains and a month in New York. They brought back a lot of things from there."

"And where did you get all this information?" demanded Mrs. Paulding in icy tones.

"Nancy," said Fred promptly. "I met her down at the postoffice and walked part of the way home with her."

"I wish you would remember that I do not like to have you speak to that loud person," said Mrs. Paulding fretfully. "Mrs. Beeman had the audacity to ask at the sewing circle the other afternoon if you were engaged to Nancy."

"There doesn't seem to be a chance for such luck," said Fred gloomily as he rose from the table. "Every time I ask her she reminds me how our respective mothers-in-law would love us."

"Every time?" echoed his astonished mother. "May I ask how many times you have lowered your dignity by proposing to that impudent girl?"

"About a hundred," was the easy response. "One of these days I'll catch her off her guard and she'll say 'Yes.'"

"I hope I may never live to see the day," said his mother dolefully.

"I hope you do,'" he said, with a laugh, as he bent and kissed the tightly compressed lips. "You'd like her, mumsey, if you didn't hate her mother so."

Fred slipped out of the room, and his mother could hear the rumble of his

"NANCY AND I WERE MARRIED HALF AN HOUR AGO."

laughter as he crossed the broad hall. For a time she sat with compressed lips as she pondered the situation. Until two years before she had queened it over the Glendale set both by virtue of her husband's business and political importance and because of her own skill as an entertainer. Then the new pulp mill had been started at the upper dam, and Renfew Bryan has brought his family to live in Glendale.

From the first the two women had crossed swords. Mrs. Bryan, who had humbly followed other leaders in the city, now asserted her right to the title in the small town, and by the brilliancy of her entertainments she had very nearly wrested social supremacy from her established rival before Mrs. Paulding had realized what was going on.

Her own entertainments became more ambitious, and for the last year the advantage had lain first with one and then the other. To have Fred fall a victim to Nancy Bryan was the worst blow she had sustained, and had she known that Nancy's mother was as furious as she at the turn affairs had taken she would have derived small comfort from that fact. In blissful ignorance of Mrs. Bryan's state of mind, she elected to believe it a move of that designing woman.

To add to the discomfort of the situation, she heard during the day that Mrs. Bryan was to celebrate her return by a garden party of unusual pretentiousness.

A number of her city friends were to make up a house party, and there was to be dancing on the lawn to the music of an orchestra famous throughout the state.

In her calmer moments Mrs. Paulding would have waited for revenge, but Fred's admission of his love angered her so that she lost her usual caution and announced a party for the same afternoon and evening. She engaged a brass band for the promenade music and arranged for a troupe of Arabian acrobats to perform on the lawn.

Glendale society was shaken to its foundations, and as each move was communicated to the other contestant through the medium of officious friends some new feature was added as an offset until it seemed that nothing short of the engagement of a circus could definitely settle the honors.

It was in this frame of mind that Mrs. Paulding approached her son.

"You know that automobile you wanted," she began at the breakfast table. "I'll get it for you if you can devise some feature that Mrs. Bryan cannot possibly get for her party. That woman has copied every idea I have originated so far."

"Do you give me carte blanche?" he demanded.

"Spend as much as you like," she murmured.

"And you won't ask what it is until I spring it?" he stipulated.

"I promise," she said. "I may rely upon you, Fred?"

"For the sensation of the season," he assured, "take heart of grace, mother mine. I am planning to shake Glendale to its very foundations."

Much relieved, Mrs. Paulding hurried to confide to her dearest friends that she would have a sensation that could not be equaled. This in due course was communicated to Mrs. Bryan, who worried much; but, since Mrs. Paulding did not herself know the nature of the surprise, she could not betray Fred's plans.

The day of the "double header," as Paulding irreverently referred to it, dawned bright and beautiful, and by 2 o'clock the festivities were under way. There were circus performances on both lawns, and honors seemed fairly even. Mrs. Paulding went about with a smile of confidence upon her face and with skillful references to her surprise kept curiosity up to pitch. The afternoon passed without the appearance of the surprise, and the dusk had gathered before Fred disappeared, and word was passed that he had gone to engineer the great event. An hour later the Paulding butler sought his mistress, and she vanished into the house.

She found Fred in the library, and with him was Nancy Bryan.

"I want to introduce you to the sensation," said Fred, with a laugh, as he led the girl forward. "Nancy and I were married half an hour ago."

"And this is your surprise?" she gasped.

"Could you have a greater one?" he asked. "Every one knows of the rivalry between you and Mrs. Bryan. If you turn your party into a wedding reception you'll beat Mrs. Bryan to a standstill. You've been bragging about your surprise. You pretend you knew it was coming all along, and the laugh is on Mrs. Bryan."

For a moment Mrs. Paulding hesitated. In some ways it was a bitter pill to swallow; but, as Fred had shown her, it was necessary to make the best of the situation. She stepped forward and took the bright faced girl in her arms.

"My dear," she said sincerely, "I am very glad to welcome my son's wife to her new home. Let us go out on the lawn. I will introduce you to my friends."

She turned toward the door, but paused as down the street there came the sound of a marching band.

"What is that," she asked—"more of the surprise?"

Paulding nodded his head. "It's the people from the Bryans coming to congratulate the bride!" he exclaimed. "Mr. Bryan was with us, but went home to tell his wife and invite the crowd over here. You have swallowed up Mrs. Bryan's party with your counter attractions. I guess I've kept my promise, haven't I?"

Mrs. Paulding patted the curly head. "You have kept your promise," she agreed. "You have shaken us all to our very foundations." Then, putting on her best smile, she led the way to the piazza to meet Mrs. Bryan at the head of her guests.

Genesis of the Hailstone.

If it were not for the countless trillions of dust particles that float, separately, invisible, in the atmosphere there could be no raindrops, snow crystals or hailstones. From a perfectly dustless atmosphere the moisture would descend in ceaseless rain without drops. The dust particles serve as nuclei about which the vapor gathers. The snow crystal is the most beautiful creation of the serial moisture, and the hailstone is the most extraordinary. The heart of every hailstone is a tiny speck of dust. Such a speck, with a little moisture condensed about it, is the germ from which may be formed a hailstone capable of felling a man or smashing a window. But first it must be caught up by a current of air and carried to the level of the lofty cirrus clouds, five or six or even ten miles high. Then, continually growing by fresh accessions of moisture, it begins its long plunge to the earth, spinning through the clouds and flashing in the sun like a diamond bolt shot from a rainbow.

Still He Wouldn't Reform.

This curious tale of old time spiritism is taken by Defoe from Baxter's (1615-1691) "Historical Discourse on Apparitions:" "There is now in London an understanding, sober, pious man, oft one of my hearers, who has an elder brother, a gentleman of considerable rank, who, having formerly seemed pious, of late years does often fall into the sin of drunkenness. He often lodges long together here in his mother's house, and whensoever he is drunk and has slept himself sober something knocks at his bed head, as if one rapped on the wainscot. When they remove his bed it follows him. Besides other loud noises on other parts where he is, that all the house hears, they have often watched him and tied his hands lest he should do it himself." But his mother declared that she had seen his shoes under the bed taken up and "nothing visible to touch them." The drunken sinner refused in spite of these solemn warnings to abandon his evil ways.

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WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., July 7, 1908.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Monday, July 6th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 81 degrees; 8 P. M. 80 degrees; maximum 86 degrees; minimum 72 degrees; mean 79 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, trace; rainfall for the month .76.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Monday, at 8 A. M. 8 — feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Showers Tuesday, cooler in west portion, Wednesday showers, cooler in east portion; light to fresh southwest to northwest winds.

Port Calendar—July 7.

Sun Rises.....4:49 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:19 P. M.
Day's Length.....14 hrs. 31 min.
High water at Southport 1:10 A. M.
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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. R. J. Corbett, of Henderson, is a guest at The Orton

—Mr. Walter C. Toon, of Chadbourn, was in the city yesterday.

—Mayor A. H. Boyden, of Salisbury, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. Junius Davis, Jr., is visiting his father, Junius Davis, Esq., for a few days.

—Mr. S. J. Mintz, of Malmo, N. C., was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

—Mr. H. L. Faison and wife, of Calypso, were guests at The Orton on Sunday.

—C. D. Weeks, Esq., of the Wilmington bar, left yesterday for a professional trip to New York City.

—Mr. W. A. Vanstory, of Fayetteville, spent yesterday in Wilmington on business.

—Mr. H. C. Bridgers, of Tarboro, was here yesterday on a short business trip.

—Miss Haywood Middleton and sister, Miss Willie A. Middleton, of Winston-Salem, are the guests of Mrs. P. Heinsberger, Jr., on Ann street.

—Miss Margaret Walker left yesterday for Saluda, N. C., where she will spend the remainder of the Summer.

—Capt. and Mrs. W. L. Harlow are spending some time at Poughkeepsie N. Y., Capt. Harlow being off for a well-earned vacation.

—Mrs. Geo. A. Alderman, of Columbia, S. C., is visiting Mr. Alderman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Alderman, on North Third street.

—Miss Lula May Shepard, of Atlanta, and Miss Alma Southerland, of Rose Hill, are visiting Mrs. W. G. Farmer, at 211 North Fourth street.

—Mrs. W. H. Goodwin and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Goodwin and daughter, Miss Hattie Goodwin, of Atlanta, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hatch, of this city.

—Mr. E. L. Galloway, wife and son, of Charlotte, returned to their home Sunday after spending some time quite pleasantly at the Hotel Tarrymoore, Wrightsville Beach.

—Saturday's Rocky Mount Record: "Capt. F. M. Fitts will leave by tonight's train for his annual vacation and will visit relatives in Mount Olive and Wilmington."

—Miss Louise Harlow is the guest of friends at Beaufort, N. C., this week during the meeting of the clergy with Bishop Strange of the East Carolina Diocese at the Parochial School there.

—Miss Lila Gray Branch, who has been spending the past few months in Wilmington left yesterday to visit relatives and friends in Washington, D. C., and Richmond, Va.

—Among the guests at The Orton Sunday and yesterday were: W. R. Bonsal, Hamlet; M. H. Schulken, Vineland; E. L. Withers, Charlotte; Joseph Hyde Pratt and H. F. Collier, Raleigh.

—Mr. F. L. Mintz, Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Royall, Miss Carrie McGee and Mrs. E. N. Ricks and children, of Mount Olive, are among the guests at Mrs. W. H. Northrop's Cottage, on Wrightsville Beach.

—Saturday's Rocky Mount Record: "Miss Minnie Short left this morning for a short stay with friends at Wrightsville Beach.——Miss Clyde Daughtridge left Friday for Wilmington for a week's visit to Miss Maude Bulluck."

—Saturday's Rocky Mount Record: "Mrs. J. S. Chambers left Friday for a several days' visit to relatives at Wilmington.——Miss Annie Lee Bunn left Friday for a short stay at Wrightsville Beach——Miss Lillian Burch, of Greenville, left Friday for Wilmington after a visit to her friend, Miss Maggie Dixon.——Miss Maude Phillips left Friday for a short stay with friends at Wrightsville Beach."

Guests of Bishop Strange.

Bishop Robert Strange, of the East Carolina Diocese of the Episcopal Church, by invitation, has as his guests at the Parochial School at Beaufort, N. C., this week all the clergy of the diocese. The time will be spent in conference, study, recreation and services in the parish church. Many attractions in boating, sailing and fishing are offered and the men of the diocese are looking forward to a most enjoyable sojourn at this delightful resort.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The schooner Samuel W. Hathaway, Captain McKown, cleared yesterday, light, for Jacksonville, Fla.; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

—There will be a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. this evening at 8 o'clock, to transact the regular routine work of the Association.

—The schooner Edith H. Symington, Captain Stiles, arrived in port yesterday from Port Tampa, Fla., with cargo of phosphate rock for the Swift Fertilizer Works; vessel to C. D. Maffitt.

—E. S. Piver & Co., the roofing concern on Second street between Market and Princess, who were closed last week on an execution, have satisfied the claims held against them and yesterday re-opened at the same place of business.

—A deed was recorded yesterday conveying a lot from Verlinza Sidbury to C. C. Chadbourn. The property is situated 198 feet from northwest corner of Wood and Miller streets and is 33x165 feet in size. The consideration mentioned is $405.

—Something new and novel is promised in a box party to be given tonight at 305 Harnett street for the benefit of Bladen Street M. E. church. All friends and the general public are cordially invited and are assured of a pleasant evening.

—Maximum temperatures in the Wilmington district Sunday were as follows: Wilmington 87, Charlotte 88, Florence 93, Goldsboro 93, Greensboro 89, Lumberton 92, Newbern 88, Raleigh 90 and Weldon 92.

—The funeral of little Jennie May Canady, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cannady, was conducted from the home No. 507 South Seventh street, yesterday afternoon, Rev. Thos. P. Noe, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, officiating. The remains were interred in Bellevue.

—On account of the absence of a majority of the members of the Board of Audit and Finance there will be no meetings of the Board of Audit and Finance during July. Mr. Tiencken is abroad and Messrs. Jesse Wilder and C. W. Yates are sojourning a while at Vade Mecum Springs.

—Installation of officers of Stonewall Lodge No. 1, K. of P., by Deputy Grand Chancellor L. Clayton Grant; Chancellor Commander D. M. McIntosh, Vice Chancellor W. H. McClain, Prelate J. W. Little, Master at Arms T. E. Davis, Inner Guard J. L. Hedge, Outer Guard, J. M. Holmes, Master of Work B. B. Sugg.

—The announcement in Sunday's paper of the approaching marriage of Mr. W. B. Stalnaker and Mr. Benjamin B. Reynolds in Washington, D. C., was upon false information furnished through the mail by some one who perhaps did not realize the gravity of such an offence under a recent law. It was intended as a very poor joke at the expense of these young men, who have taken the matter in good part.

—Saturday's Rocky Mount Record says: "Due to a cutting in one-half of the division from this place to Florence, S. C., and the establishing of telegraph facilities at Fayetteville, the A. C. L. Railroad have given notice that effective July 6th, there will be a cut in the number of dispatchers employed at the office here and three instead of six, as are now employed will be expected to handle the work."

—Contributions to Catherine Kennedy Home for June: A. friend, coffee; Mrs. Berry Gleaves, cake; Mrs. John Harper, fruit; a friend, $5; Mr. Clayton Giles, $10; Mrs. Wilder, milk, fish, potatoes; a friend, books and magazines; Mr. E. I. Bear, books and magazines; Mr. J. A. Montgomery, watermelons, peaches; Mrs. Dreher, plums; Mr. J. A. Springer, ice; Mr. J. Hicks Bunting, drugs; Mr. R. R. Bellamy, drugs. Monthly meeting will be held at the home Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

ROBESON REGISTER RESIGNS

Mr. D. W. Bullock Tendered His Resignation on Account of Health.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Lumberton, N. C., July 6.—At the meeting of the Board of County Commissioners today, Mr. D. W. Bullock on account of bad health, tendered his resignation as register of deeds. It was accepted and Mr. Abner Nash, for several years the efficient deputy register, was appointed to fill out the unexpired term. The universal opinion is that a better appointment could not have been made.

Mr. Bullock has given great satisfaction in the office, and it is to be regretted that he is forced to give it up.

Waived Examination.

Through their counsel Herbert McClammy and Walter P. Gafford, Esqs., Doctor Robinson and E. H. Gray, the young white men charged with engaging in the disorder on the steamer Wilmington Saturday, waived examination and were bound over to the higher court, Robinson under bond of $200 and Gray under $100. The latter is charged with aiding and abetting the first named, but contends that at the time he was on the second deck of the steamer and had nothing to do with the affair. Robinson claims that in using his knife he was acting in self defense. Both bonds were readily given by friends of the young men at Shallotte, Brunswick county.

Little Mary Eubanks Dead.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wade H. Eubanks will be saddened to learn of the death of their infant daughter. Mary Christine, which occurred at 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the residence, No. 810 Orange street. Accompanied by the members of the family and friends the remains will be carried to Clinton this morning at 8:40 o'clock, where the funeral and interment will be held this afternoon.

Lumina

Spend the day at Lumina. Lumina is an ideal place for picnic parties. Lunch tables furnished free to picnic parties. 2t

SHAKE-UP IN LEAGUE

(Continued from first page.)

struck out to nine Kinstonians. The score:

Raleigh .. ....011 210 200—7 12 3
Kinston .. ..000 000 000—0 6 3

Batteries: Brandon and Thompson; Latham and Brooks.

In the eighth inning "Pap" Harris, of Raleigh, protested a ruling to umpire VanArman and in the quarrel that followed two blows were passed. Harriss was fined $50.

Fayetteville Enthusiastic.

Fayetteville, N. C., July 6.—At a meeting tonight the baseball enthusiasts accepted the proposition that was offered them in the Eastern Carolina League caused by Newbern withdrawing. Arrangements will immediately be made to secure a full number of players. The proposition was accepted without dissent of any member of the club.

Exhibition Games Here.

When the news reached them Sunday afternoon that Newbern had "gon "gone to bad," Managers Hatch and Gwaltney made every effort to have the Newbern orphans come to Wilmington to play independently until they could be placed instead of having the three games with Wilmington at Newbern the first three days of the week, but as soon as they were paid off Saturday night the men scattered to the four winds of the earth and they could not be kept together as an organization longer. Wilmington will contend for her apportionment of the forfeit money from Newbern, posted in the sum of $350, to make up for the loss in gate receipts and this will be determined by the League officials.

In order that the team may keep in the game a City League team will play the League Busters of Wilmington here the first three days of this week until some arrangements are made for evening up the clubs on the basis of a new series. Yesterday afternoon the Monarchs played the Professionals and the score was 3 to 0 in favor of the professionals. The game was very interesting and the amateur organization showed up splendidly. The score:

Wilmington ....201 000 000—3 5 4
City League....000 000 000—0 2 3

Batteries—Peschau and Edgar; Wysong, Webster and Kite.

Summary—Two-base hit, Sharp; double plays, Rath to Hoey; passed ball, Kite and Edgar; hit by pitched ball, Webster and Peschau; struck out, by Webster 8, Peschau 1; bases on balls, off Peschau 2; sacrifice hits, Wilmington 3, City League 1; stolen bases, Wilmington 3, City League 1. Time 1:20. Umpire, Shepherd.

Today another game will be played between a much stronger City League team and there are backers for the amateurs against the professionals for the meet. Duls and King will form the battery for the City Leaguers. Davis will hold down the initial sack, Ridgley second, Carpenter third, Emerson short, Calder right field, Johnson centre field and Sholky left field.

New Players Signed.

Wilmington will enter the new series greatly strengthened and prepared to take care of itself in any company. Doak the heavy hitting outfielder, returned yesterday from a visit to his home at Conway, S. C., and the Wilmington management succeeded in getting the pick of the Newbern men in signing Sharp, captain and manager of the late Newbern team, to play second base. Sharp reported yesterday and is already with the team playing in the exhibition yesterday. Wilmington has also copped a couple of good ones from the Union League in Flick Luyster, pitcher and Billy Ross, catcher, both of whom come from Philadelphia on the recommendation of Bussey and Kite and that's enough said. They will report today or tomorrow. Wilmington is in the game to the finish and is still prepared to play winning ball. The local fans would be very glad to see the season extended to Sept. 1st, of which there is talk.

GENTLEMEN OF THE JURY

Those Drawn Yesterday For Two Weeks' Term, July 27th.

The following jurors were drawn yesterday afternoon by the County Commissioners for the two weeks' term of Superior Court, convening July 27th, Judge C. C. Lyon, of Elizabethtown, presiding:

First Week—E. O. Toomer, C. H. Stokley, C. R. Brinkley, J. T. Hill, E. B. Moore, J. H. Sykes, H. M. Bremer, J. N. Bowden, S. J. Springer, E. C Woodbery, Sr., Jos. G. Johnson, R. W. Powell, D. Rountree, C. E. Motte, John Meier, Virginius Hall, J. A. Brothers, Alex. Wells, W. H. Northrop, W. H. Eubank, H. W. Lewis, J. H. Mintz, Geo. P. Howie, C. H. Casteen, T. B. Cox, A. A. Dock, W. H. M. Koch, C. W. Yates, Jr., E. J. Littleton, J R. Minshew, J. V. Grainger, E. S. Shipp, F. A. Montgomery, J. M. Ward, M. P. Boger, W. C. Crow.

Second Week—E. W. Rogers, E. M. Beery, Wm. E. Springer, F. Z. Woodard, H. E. Truelove, G. W. Westbrook, G. T. Flynn, Jas Collins, E. L. Matthews, R. F. Colwell, R. A. Burnett, S. P. Hewitt, R. A. Biddle, R. P. McClammy, John E. Walton, Walter M. Collins, J. S. Grimes, H. O. Thomas.

KILLING IN ROBESON.

Coroner Summoned to Saddle Tree Township to Investigate Shooting

(Special Star Telegram.)

Lumberton, N. C., July 6.—Coroner Rancke was summoned to the home of William Glover, colored, in Saddle Tree township, ten miles from here, yesterday to hold an inquest over a two-year-old child of Glover, who had been killed by being shot. The evidence was of such conflicting nature that the jury was unable to place the responsibility and Glover was brought to jail for the court to decide who is responsible for the killing.

Take advantage of the delightful moonlight ride tonight. Steamer Wilmington leaves at 8:15 P. M. **

ARCHITECTS IN SESSION.

North Carolina Association Holds Meeting in Wilmington.

With an outing at the beach the Fourth and Sunday the North Carolina Architectural Association, adjourned its third annual meetings at the Elks' Temple in this city yesterday. The sessions were largely executive and began Friday afternoon at 2:30 P. M. with the address of President Charles C. Hook, of Charlotte and a banquet the same evening. A large amount of business was transacted and a number of important committees were appointed. Officers were elected unanimously as follows: President Jos. F. Leitner, Wilmington; Vice President W. P. Rose, Raleigh; Secretary and Treasurer Franklin Gordon, Charlotte; Directors, the officers above named, W. G. Rogers, Charlotte, and H. W. Simpson, Newbern. The semi-annual meeting will be held at Greensboro during December.

Members of the Association are: Charles McMillen, Leitner Wilkins, Field & Lilly, Wilmington; Wheeler, Runge & Dicksey, Hook & Rogers, Hunter & Gordon and J. M. McMichael, Charlotte; H. W. Simpson, Newbern; H. C. Linthicum, Durham; Bennett & Thompson, H. P. S. Keller and C. E. Hartje, Raleigh; W. L. Brewer, Weston & Rose, S. W. Foulk and J. H. Hopkins, Greensboro; W. H. Lord and R. S. Smith, Asheville.

WILMINGTON NEXT YEAR.

Tenth Annual Convention City Letter Carriers Coming in 1909.

Mr. William Sheehan, Jr., has returned from Asheville, N. C., where on Saturday he represented Branch 464, N. A. of L. C., of this city at the tenth annual convention of the State City Letter Carriers' Association. Thirty-three delegates representing every city in the State were present and the meeting is spoken of as one of the most enjoyable ever held. The convention discussed the responsibility of the carrier's position, his duties toward the government and to his patrons; also other questions appertaining to his welfare. After a sumptuous banquet the Association adjourned to meet in Wilmington on July 4th, 1909. The popular carriers of the Wilmington postoffice are already laying plans for an elaborate reception of their brethren from all parts of the State upon that occasion.

HEAVY POLICE DOCKET.

Son Carter Entered a Shanty Car and Broke Open Trunk.

It required nearly two hours for Mayor Springer to dispose of the large docket in police court yesterday, some eighteen cases being tried. Son Carter, colored, was arrested Saturday night at Ninth and Bladen streets by Officer M. P. Newton and was bound over to Superior Court for the larceny of some clothing belonging to Walter Baggon. The latter alleged that Carter obtained the clothes by breaking open his trunk. Henderson Hayes, for drunkenness, and Albert Johnson, for vagrancy, were sent to the roads for a term of thirty days each.

J. D. Smith was arrested Saturday by Officer George and failing to appear yesterday his bond of $30 was forfeited. He was arrested at Front and Chesnut and a concealed weapon was found on his person.

Souvenir Dance at Lumina.

A very large and merry crowd attended the souvenir dance at Lumina last night. The souvenir given was a pretty and gayly colored fan. The ball room was handsomely decorated with American flags. A special dance of this kind will be given at Lumina every Monday night. It is understood that on next Monday night a moonlight dance will be given.

Don't forget moonlight ride tonight. Steamer Wilmington leaves wharf at 8:15 o'clock. **

REHDER'S

Big Mill-End Sale

IS NOW ON.

3 Days More of Sensational Bargains

SPECIAL 2-HOUR SALES

MONDAY, July 6—For 2 hours—10 to 12 o'clock—Will sell Ladies' $1.50 White Shoes, both Oxfords and pump styles, with white heel, two hours' sale 89c
Limit, 2 pair to a customer.

TUESDAY, July 7—for two hours—10 to 12 o'clock—Will sell one lot of 1 yard wide 15c Madras and Chambray, solid pink, blue, brown, tan and stripes, two hours sale, the yard 5c
Limit of 6 yards to a customer.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, July 8—For two hours—10 to 12 o'clock—We will place on sale 50 rolls of new Japanese Cotton Warp Mattings, beautiful patterns, 35c values, red, blue and green, at the yard 15c
40 yards to roll. Limit 1 roll to a customer.

These are Bargain Days you cannot afford to let pass unnoticed.

BEESWAX

29c

If you have some to sell, ship to us and we will pay you this price, f. o. b. Wilmington. Avoid barrels with cloth heads. Mail promptly, with your invoice, bill-of-lading with the weight and freight rate inserted.

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DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM

Self-Appointed Committees Trying to Settle on Tentative Planks of the Instrument—Injunctions the Most Difficult.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Denver, Colo., July 6.—Evidences are multiplying that probably the only difficult plank to prepare for the Democratic platform will be that relating to the use of injunctions in industrial disputes. Mr. Bryan has let it be known through a number of reliable sources that his position on this plank is not rigid. Perhaps the most important conference with reference to the injunction plank was that held at Fairview, Mr. Bryan's home, during the dinner by the Nebraskan to a number of prominent Democrats on July 4th. Mr. Bryan stated clearly that he realized that there might arise situations where the issuance of an injunction without notice to those enjoined would be the only remedy against loss of life or irreparable damage to property. To meet such cases, Mr. Bryan further indicated that if the resolutions committee could draw a plank which would provide for such emergencies, with the safeguard that this class of injunctions should be self-dissolving after a period of three or five days, the plank would meet his approval.

Work on the platform continued today through the medium of an informal sub-committee consisting of Governor Haskell, who is to be chairman of the resolutions committee, and a number of prominent members of the party who will have places on that committee. The product of this work will be laid before a large sub-committee of the resolutions committee when the latter is officially appointed by the convention. The plan contemplates telephoning each plank to Mr. Bryan at Lincoln, as soon as it is agreed upon by the sub-committee. In this manner it will be possible for the sub-committee to present to the resolutions committee a platform which has already received the approval of the prospective candidate. So far there has developed no intimation of hostility to Mr. Bryan's wishes in reference to the platform.

The tariff plank came in for considerable discussion today with the result that this language was put forward tentatively as embodying the position the party should take.

"The Democratic party believes in tariff for revenue only, but inasmuch as the expense of the Government is great and we are depending largely upon imports for the revenues for running the Government, which means the imposition of a tariff, we favor the laying of the tariff duties in such a manner that there shall be no discrimination in benalf of any section of the country or any industry."

Judge Powers, of Utah, has transmitted to the tentative resolutions committee a plank he has received with approval from Samuel Newhouse prominently known in railroad and mining financial circles. Mr. Newhouse wires Judge Powers that the plank was written after careful canvass of the financial classes in New York. It recises the necessity of maintaining and even increasing in some instances existing railroad rates and tariffs, recognizing the rightfulness of Government regulation. The necessity for maintaining rates is stated to be to pay the present high wage scale to railway employes.

During the afternoon Mayor F. W. Brown, of Lincoln, who is to be the Nebraska representative on the resolutions committee, arrived with Mr. Bryan's suggestions concerning a number of planks of the platform in his pocket. Mr. Brown said that it had not been Mr. Bryan's intention to prepare a complete platform, but that it was his wish that the committee itself should perform this duty.

It is said Mr. Bryan's memorandum deals especially with the subject of the regulation of the issuance of writs of injunction by the Federal courts in labor disputes; the tariff, the trusts, the railroads, the election of Senators, which he would have by direct vote of the people; the guarantee of public bank deposits guaranteed by the government and publicity of campaign contributions.

ADDITION TO ORTON.

Another Story Will be Added Containing Eight Rooms.

Plans and specifications have been submitted by Architect Chas. McMillen for the erection of an additional story to the wing of The Orton over the Murchison hardware store on Front street. The permit for the erection of the addition was granted yesterday by Building Inspector John J. Furlong and the contractor, Mr. R. H. Brady, contemplates beginning the work within the next few days.

This will be the fourth story and will contain eight rooms. The cost is estimated at $2,500. This addition will materially add to the lodging capacity of this popular hotel.

Fishermen Select Delegates.

At a meeting of the local Fishermen's Association held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, delegates were appointed to the Fishermen's Convention, which will hold forth in Morehead City, July 26th and 27th. Mr. J. D. Walton was chairman and Messrs. E. W. Rogers and Geo. R. Smith were selected as delegates and will attend the convention together with Mr. D. J. Fergus, who was appointed by the Governor.

Wed In September.

Announcement is made of the forthcoming marriage on Wednesday evening, September 2nd. of Miss Bessie Morrison Holden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex S. Holden, and Mr. Alvan Harrison Stanland, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Stanland, all of this city. Many friends will read this announcement with much interest and pleasure.

BASE BALL

National League.
At Chicago, 4; Brooklyn, 5
At Pittsburg, 2; Philadelphia, 1.
At Cincinnati, 1; New York, 1.
At St. Louis, Boston, rain.

American League.
At Philadelphia, 6; New York, 5.

Southern League.
At Mobile, 3; Atlanta, 0.
At Memphis, 6; Birmingham, 2.
At New Orleans, 0; Nashville, 2.
At Little Rock, 1; Montgomery, 0.

South Atlantic League.
At Columbia, 0; Charleston, 1.
At Macon, 0; Jacksonville, 7.
At Augusta, 3; Savannah, 2.

Carolina League.
At Greensboro, 9; Greenville, 0. Forfeited in 11th inning.
At Charlotte, 3; Winston-Salem, 1.
At Anderson, 6; Spartanburg, 2.

Virginia League.
At Danville, 6; Portsmouth, 0.
At Roanoke, 1; Richmond, 4.
At Roanoke, 1; Richmond, 3.
At Norfolk, 5; Lynchburg, 0

COUNTY SCHOOL FUND.

Annual Report of Treasurer H. McL. Green Submitted Yesterday.

The most interesting feature of yesterday's regular monthly session of the County Board of Education was the reading of the annual report of Treasurer H. McL. Green to the State Board of Education for the fiscal year ended July 1st. It shows receipts and disbursements as follows:

Receipts—Balance on hand July 1st. 1907, $10,383.81; General State and county poll tax, $5,746; general property tax, $24,635.40; fines and forfeitures, $2,900.35; liquor license tax, $12,505.33; rents, $108.50; tuition, $67; sale of lumber, $7; apportionment from State, $1,064.02; from State for libraries, $50; from county for libraries, $105.50. Total, $57,572.91.

Disbursements—County Superintendent, $720; paid white teachers, $26,492.50; colored teachers, $9,100; janitors, $1,720.64; furniture, $442.60; supplies, $3,284.90; paid in libraries, $166.27; insurance, $508.03; repairs to buildings, $3,726.33; treasurer's commissions, $928.44; mileage per diem for County Board, $103.75; expenses of county board, $47.50; taking census, $27.60; commissions to clerk of court, $46.85; refunded taxes, $57.85. Total $47,353.34. Balance on hand, $10,219.57.

Campbell Encampment, I. O. O. F.

At the regular meeting held last night the following officers were duly installed by P. C. P., W. L. Smith: C. P., M. Hewitt; H. P., J. L. Middleton; S. W., O. J. Vann, J. W., W. H. Yopp; Scribe, John E. Wood; Treasurer, H. S. McGirt; Guide, Robert Robbins; 1st. W., J. H. Williams; 2nd. W., E. D. Craig; 3rd. W., J. W. Robinson; 4th. W., W. J. Mallard; 1st. Gd. T., E. B. Moore; 2nd. Gd. T., W. J. Reaves; I. S., E. S. Cook; O. S., W. G. T. Keen; Trustees, John E. Wood, W. L. Smith, W. H. Yopp; representative, J. T. King; alternate, John E. Wood.

Advent Church Dedication.

For the dedication of the new Second Advent Christian Church on Middle Sound next Sunday Elder J. P. King will preach the dedication sermon. After dinner to be served on the grounds Elder J. T. Johnson will preach in the afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, this to be followed by sermons by Elder J. W. S. Harvey, Elder Jas. M. King, Elder B. R. King, Elder C. P. Green. At 8 o'clock Elder Jos. P. King will preach again and at the close there will be communion. Elder Geo. W. Shepard, pastor of the new church, will preside at the exercises. The public is cordially invited.

"Big Chief" E. P. H. Strunck.

Sunday's Raleigh News and Observer contains an excellent write-up of the Great Council, Improved Order of Red Men in North Carolina, presenting half tone cuts of all the officers. In the number is Great Keeper of Wampum E. P. H. Strunck, of Wilmington, one of the bravest of the brave of the local reservation and a "big Chief" who has been honored time and again with election to this stump by his tribesmen.

THOUGHT TO BE MURDERER

Mystery Connected With a Stranger Who Died in Fayetteville.

(Fayetteville Observer, July 4.)

A young white man was arrested in this city Tuesday by Chief of Police Monaghan, as a vagrant, and was taken to Police Headquarters. He became very ill shortly after being placed in a cell and a physician was sent for. He was taken to the hospital, where it was found that he had an incurable disease, and yesterday afternoon he died. He refused to reveal his name, despite every effort by the authorities, doctor and attendant nurses. He would only say he was from South Carolina. There was nothing on his person, by which he could be identified.

While the man was in custody Chief Monaghan became convinced that he was Dan Hamer, who was wanted by the South Carolina authorities, for killing Pate Walker, near Marion on Saturday, June 13th, and for whose arrest a reward of $200 had been offered. Mr. Monaghan wired a description of the man to the Sheriff of Marion.

When the Columbia shoo-fly arrived at 11 o'clock last night, it brought Deputy Sheriff J. T. Dozier, of Marion, and Chief of Police J. F. West, of Darlington. While they were en route to Fayetteville the man they come to identify had died. However, they were taken to the undertaking establishment, to which the body had been removed, and reviewed the remains. After some hesitation, the South Carolina officers said the body was not that of Hamer, though the resemblance was very remarkable.

That there is some mystery connected with the man who died in their custody, the officials are certain, but in all probability it will never be known. The body was buried at the expense of the county today.

WARM WIRELETS.

A request from the commanding office of the Naval Academy practice squadron was received at the Navigation Bureau Monday, asking that the squadron's base be changed from New London to Newport on account of alleged discrimination against the sailor men of the vessels by certain amusement places in New London on account of their uniform.

Mae C. Wood, whose suit for divorce against Thomas C. Platt was dismissed recently, pleaded not guilty yesterday to a charge of perjury growing out of her testimony in the recent trial, that she was married to Senator Plat. Miss Wood's counsel filed a demurrer to a charge of forgery. The forgery charge was based on a letter which Miss Wood said she received from Senator Platt acknowledging her as his wife.

TAR HEEL SOCIALISTS

They Hold Their State Convention and Nominated a Full Ticket.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 6.—The Socialists in State convention at Winston-Salem today nominated the following ticket:

For Governor—J. A. Transou, who was forced to accept after he had declined.

Lieutenant Governor—F. A. Dorsett.

Secretary of State—George T. Wilson.

Attorney General—Dr. E. L. Summers.

State Auditor—E. L. Barkley.

Treasurer—E. B. Willis.

Superintendent Public Instruction—N. N. Pickett.

Insurance Commissioner — R. D. Morton.

Corporation Commissioner—W. J. Newton.

Commissioner of Labor and Printing—R. J. Smithers.

Commissioner of Agriculture—P. E. Burke.

Electors at Large—R. H. Lane S. T. Bean.

Member National Committee—H. C. Buck.

Winston-Salem was chosen as campaign headquarters.

The sensational feature of the convention was the voting out of the party of P. T. Lehman, a justice of the peace, holding office under another political party.

BOSHOP POTTER'S CONDITION

Reported as Improved Yesterday, With Prospects of Recovery.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Cooperstown, N. Y., June 6.—Bishop Potter has continued to improve today notwithstanding the extreme heat and confidence in his recovery from the present attack is growing. His son, Alonzo Potter, and his son-in-law, Charles Russell, left for New York tonight and Mrs. Potter's niece Mrs. Robert Mackey, returned yesterday. The bulletin issued at 9:30 o'clock by his physician follows:

"Bishop Potter has had a comfortable day notwithstanding the very hot weather and has gained slightly in strength. The indications point toward ultimate recovery, but it will necessarily be very slow."

A Sharp Swindler.

A fashionable young lady once drove up in a handsome carriage to a private lunatic asylum situated a few miles from Paris and requested to see the proprietor. Her wish being acceded to, she informed the doctor that she desired to place her husband under his care to see if a cruel mania under which he labored—viz, "that he had lost a large quantity of jewels"—could not be removed. After some hesitation the doctor consented, and the lady drove away directly to a jeweler's in Paris and selected jewels to the value of several thousand francs and requested one of the shopmen to go with her in her carriage to procure the money for the goods she had taken. She drove with him to the asylum, and, arriving there, he was shown into a room. The lady then sought the doctor, told him of the arrival of her husband and, getting into her carriage, again drove away. The rest may be imagined, but the poor fellow was confined several days before it was found they both had been "sold." The lady was never heard of after.

Wagner's Portrait.

When Wagner was in England supervising the first production of his operas, the music enthusiasts commissioned the artist Herkomer to paint the musician's portrait, but Wagner was dashing about in such a state of frenzy that he repelled impatiently every attempt to get him to give a "sitting." Still, Herkomer stuck to him like a limpet, fed with him, walked and talked with him, watched him conduct his orchestra, write music and read books. At last, when every attempt to secure a "sitting" had failed, Herkomer rose early one morning, painted with frenzied speed all day, spent a short night in restless sleep, rose early again and painted furiously, till on the second evening he sat down exhausted—but with his picture finished. Wagner was called in and threw up his hands in amazement. "Ah!" he cried. "Wonderful! That is exactly how I would like to look if I could."

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"When you see a French farmer moving one small cart carries his household goods, and in seven or eight enormous drays his top soil lumbers on behind."—New York Press.

THE MODERN HAT.

Its Serious Defects From the Hygienic Point of View.

The size, the style and incidentally the cost of women's hats, says a writer in the Berliner Umschau, have taken up so much of the time of the people who make hats a study that they have not had a moment to devote to the head covering of the sterner sex. Considered from the hygienic point of view, little fault can be found with the hats of our sisters, although some of them, when viewed through the glass of reason, are unthinkable. But men's hats are faulty from the physician's point of view, and a wider knowledge of the defects of the modern hat would add to the already large army of bareheaded men. In order to demonstrate which hats should be avoided a perfectly healthy man was placed where the rays of the sun could strike him directly. He wore while taking the sun bath various kinds of hats for a period of fifteen minutes each. Every hat contained in the crown a thermometer, and these recorded as follows: The one in the panama hat 77 degrees, the straw sailor 81, the silk hat 89, the felt hat 95 and the black hat and yachting cap 99 and 100 degrees respectively.

A Bath a Month.

Apparently the people of Persia are not great believers in the old maxim "Cleanliness is next to godliness," for baths are only taken once a month by the people, when they go to the public baths and make amends, so to speak, for the infrequency of their ablutions by spending a whole day getting cleaned and trimmed. At the baths they are washed, shaved, dye their hair and nails, get shampooed and spend the rest of the day eating buns and drinking sherbet. There are fixed days for men and women, and on bath days a man goes about the streets shouting "Hamum!" ("Bath day!"). After the bath the ladies have their hair plaited in a number of thin plaits, which are not opened and combed out until the next bath day comes round.

Thought Only of the Dynamite.

Some grim stories are told of Lord Kitchener, says the United States Gazette, and we have read one which, although we cannot vouch for the truth of it, has a decided Kitchener flavor about it. A young subaltern who was in charge of some works that were in course of construction in the Punjab had the misfortune to lose some native workmen through an accident with dynamite. Fearful of a reprimand from headquarters, he telegraphed to the commander in chief, "Regret to report killing of twelve laborers by dynamite accident." Back is said to have come the laconic message, "Do you want any more dynamite?"

Greedy.

Two Englishmen on a holiday in France were dining together at a Paris restaurant. Mr. Smith would order and ask for everything he wanted in doubtful French, while Mr. Cross would offer explanations that were in the nature of criticisms. At last Mr. Smith's temper rose to explosive point.

"Will you," he said—in English this time—"be so good as not to interfere with me in the use of my French?"

"Very well," retorted Mr. Cross. "I simply wanted to point out that you were asking for a staircase when all you wanted was a spoon!"—London Mail.

Suffering Humanity.

"Mrs. Sourmug, who thought she had a mission to look after suffering humanity, is married, isn't she?"

"Yep."

"I was surprised to learn that she had given up her mission in life."

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—R. Z. Linney in Industrial News: Editor Industrial News: Should not all men who love liberty watch with lynxeyed vigilance the actions of all great political parties? The last Democratic State convention was a very large and intelligent one. The proceedings of the convention were so interesting that I began to read them Saturday evening and read the whole day Sunday, before I concluded. I suppose it is wicked to do so, still it is probable that one-tenth of the reading public did the same thing.

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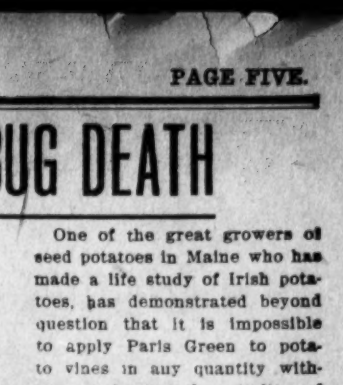

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—Charlotte Observer: Horace Phillips, the 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Phillips, who live at 408 East Ninth street, was drowned in the lake at Latta Park yesterday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock while in bathing with twelve companions.

—Wadesboro Messenger: There is a steady falling off in the number of prescriptions filled at the medical depository. In May 109 prescriptions were filled by the dispenser, Mr. J. A. McRae, against 115 in April. The number filled during June was only 97, written by the doctors of the county.

—Winston-Salem, July 3.—While attempting to arrest Ernest Dye, a negro, for drunkenness tonight at 8:30 o'clock, Policeman R. W. Bryan was cut three times, and in self-defense was forced to shoot the negro. The officer was cut badly in the right hand and twice in the left leg. The negro was shot in the left thigh.

—Charlotte Observer: All hope of the recovery of Capt. John Wilkes, who is ill at his home on West Trade street, has been abandoned and last night it was stated that the end was but a question of time. Captain Wilkes' strength has been gradually diminishing, so much so that he has now passed the border line of possible recovery. The end is considered but a question of hours.

—Wadesboro Messenger: Rev. R. M. Mann, pastor of the Presbyterian church, has been given a leave of absence of two months by his church. This time Mr. Mann will spend in eastern Carolina in the interest of the James Sprunt Institute located at Kenansville. It will be remembered that some time ago Mr. Mann was elected president of this school but his congregation here would not hear to his leaving them, so a compromise was effected whereby he could do some special work for the school during the summer. He will leave for Kenansville Monday.

—Rocky Mount Record.—While at work Thursday afternoon on the sewer line down west Main street from Nash to Western avenue the walls of a ten foot cut caved in, completely burying one of the hands employed on the work. By quick work on the part of his fellow workmen he was not suffocated. The buried man was not injured in the slightest beyond a little frightened and he continued at work, this time, however upon the top of the earth as he, with all of his comrades, could not be persuaded to enter a cut deeper than their heads.

—Rocky Mount, July 5.—Thomas Bradley, a young white man about 32 years old, was found by a southbound freight about 4 o'clock this morning in an unconscious state near Whitakers. From marks on the body and surrounding evidence it is certain that he was struck by a northbound train about 11 o'clock. He was picked up and brought to the A. C. L. Hospital at this place, where he died today about 9 o'clock, never regaining consciousness. Bradley was a painter by trade, though he had filled no contract in this work for the past several years. He was a single man and leaves mother and father and several brothers. There are indications that he was somewhat intoxicated at the time of the accident.

—Asheville Citizen. Dr. W. P. Whitington and Mr. W. R. Whitson appeared before the Board of Aldermen in behalf of the prohibitionists of the city and requested that they be given the privilege of an interview with the police committee for the purpose of suggesting certain new ordinances or amendments to the committee where by the law forbidding the sale of liquor may be more rigidly enforced in the city. Mr. Whitson said that they believed that they would be able to make suggestions that would be beneficial in the enforcement of the low. The mayor advised that they meet with the police committee of which Alderman Westall is the chairman, and submit their suggestions at the first meeting of the committee.

—Asheville Citizen: The exasperating problem of how to get rid of the summer fly, has been solved to a certain extent, very pleasantly. From repeated experiments which have been very successful, it is a fact that a small bunch of sweet peas will in a short time be surrounded by the dead bodies of flies, and a careful search of the bouquet will show a dozen or more flies so overcome by the heavy poisonous odor exhaled by the flowers It has been suggested by a well known physician of Asheville, who made the interesting discovery, that an opiate might possibly be made from sweet peas as useful as the opium made from poppies. However, it is a comfort to know that a large bunch of sweet peas will very agreeably solve the ugly fly problem and serve a double purpose in the house.

—Charlotte News: On account of the arrest of young Frank Johnson, and his alleged incarceration over night in the police station without bail, Mr. James A. Johnson, the father of the boy, has employed counsel to bring suit against the city for damages. No complaint has yet been filed, but it is understood that the amount of damages asked will be $10,000. The proposed suit is a result of an arrest made on complaint of the two blind tiger detectives which the city has employed for the last month to ferret out the violators of the whiskey laws of the city. Mr. Johnson claims that his son, Frank, who is only 16 years of age, was at work at the Gem restaurant, when these men, Edwards and McKnight, came to him, and persuaded him to get them some whiskey. The boy did so and was then arrested and carried to the police station, where he was kept from one afternoon until the next morning without the privilege of giving bail, it is said, even after several good men had offered to go on the bond.

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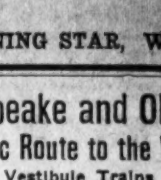

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No. 44 at 12:45 A. M. from Charlotte, Hamlet and local Stations.

No. 40 arrives 12:50 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, and all points North and South.

Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

	No. 45	No. 39
Lv. Wilm't'n	4:50 A. M.	3:00 P. M.
Ar. Lumb't'n	7:26 A. M.	5:55 P. M
Ar. Maxton	8:15 A. M.	6:49 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet	9:15 A. M.	7:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet	9:45 A. M.	8:25 P. M.
Ar. Monroe	11:40 A. M.	10:25 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte	12:35 P. M.	11:30 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points north. At Monroe with No. 51 for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 83 for Portsmouth-Norfolk and No. 47 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

For time-tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent or call Phone No. 1294.

J. D. EDWARDS,
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Agent.
Phone 86, Wilmington, N. C.
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Traveling Passenger Agent
Raleigh, N. C.

Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect May 31st, 1908.

NOTICE.
The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 41.
Lv Wilmington	8:40 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar Rocky Mount	1:33 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	3:30 am
Ar Norfolk	6:05 pm	
Ar Wilson	1:00 m	10:52 pm
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:27 am
Ar Richmond	8:00 pm	6:10 am
Ar Washington	11:50 pm	9:50 am
Ar Baltimore	1:41 am	11:20 am
Ar Philadelphia	4:21 am	1:41 pm
Ar New York	7:23 am	4:13 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 48.
Lv New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar Philadelphia	11:37 am	12:15 am
Ar Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar Weldon	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar Wilson	11:47 pm	1:58 pm
Ar Goldsboro	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar Wilmington	9:30 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	7:00 p
Ar. Flor..	9:05 am	7:25 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:15 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sa'n..	6:20 pm	2:10 am	9:54 am
Ar. Jk'vlle		7 15 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		6:25 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:25 am
Lv Jacksonville	9:10 am	7:45 pm
Ar Savannah	1:31 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:52 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:24 pm	8:55 am
Ar Wilmington	12:55 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:20 am	Ar 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points east.

Trains No. 55 and 56 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia.

T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY,

Office of the Treasurer,
Wilmington, N. C., June 29, 1908.

The Board of Directors of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared a dividend of two and one-half per cent. on the Common Capital Stock of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, North Carolina, on and after July 10th, 1908, to Stockholders of record on the 22nd day of June, 1908. The transfer books are closed from the 22nd day of June, 1908, at three o'clock P. M., to the 11th day of July, 1908, at ten o'clock A. M., both dates inclusive.

JAMES F. POST,
jul 2 to 10. Treasurer.

TO THE BEACH
SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In effect May 30th, 1908.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
6:30 A. M.	6:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
*6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4 00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.

* This train leaves from Front and Princess. Freight received from 5:40 to 6:00 A. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
8:30 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

11:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.

Freight depot open on Sundays.

10:00 A. M.	11:00 A. M.

Carolina Place, Delgado and Golf Links.

Leave Junction every 20 minutes from 6:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Sundays 8:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Leave Golf Links every 30 minutes from 7:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M. Sundays 9:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M..

Special Baseball Schedule.

On days when games are advertised cars will leave Junction for grounds every 10 minutes from 2:15 to 4:15 P. M. On these days beach trains leaving Junction at 2:30, 3:00, 3:30 and 4:00 P. M. will not stop at the Baseball Grounds.

City tickets and passes will be accepted for transportation on these cars. Seacoast passes good only on beach cars.

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Schedule of the Carolina Beach and Southport Lines.

Steamer Wilmington leaves daily 9:00 A. M. for Southport and Carolina Beach and 2.30 P. M. for Carolina Beach, except Saturday and Sunday. Saturday leaves for Carolina Beach and Southport 2:00 P. M.; leaves Southport 7:00 A. M. and 4:45 P. M. Sundays leaves for Carolina Beach and Southport 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M., and for the Beach 8:30 P. M. Last train leaving Beach 8:30 P. M. Fare on Sundays 25c Round Trip.

Steamer Southport leaves Wilmington for Southport daily at 10:00 A. M., leaves Southport for Wilmington 2:30 P. M.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 6.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, $2.50.

TAR—Market, firm $1.50.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.00 per barrel for hard, $2.70 for dip and $3.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin $3.95; tar firm $2.50; crude turpentine turpentine $3.50, $4.75, $5 25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	134
Rosin	320
Tar	1
Crude Turpentine	96

Receipts—Same day last year, 89 casks spirits turpentine; 272 barrels rosin; 45 barrels tar; 125 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market —Quiet, 11 1-8 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Nominal, 11 7-8 cents for middling.

Receipts—264 bales, same day last year 2 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime 65c; extra prime 70c; fancy 75c per bushel of 28 lbs; Virginia—No. 1, 70c; fancy 75@80c; Spanish 75@85c.

CORN—Firm, 95c per bushel for white; 92 1-2@95 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, new 13@14c; shoulders 11@12 1-2c; sides dull, 11@12 1-2c.

EGGS—Dull at 15@16c.

CHICKENS—Dull at 12 1-2@30c for large springs; growns, firm, 35 to 38c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 8c; green, dull 4c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

COW PEAS—$1.90@$2.00 per bushel.

WOOL—Free of burr, 15c; burry wool, 10 to 12 1-2c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 6.—The cotton market was but moderately active today and after opening at a decline of 1 to 5 points from which there was a slight and brief reaction became settled in the direction of lower prices with the close steady at a net loss of 12 to 16 points and sales limited to 125,000 bales; representing a little better than the recent average of transactions. The controlling factor in the further decline was the continued bearish character of the crop news which was in force particularly in the later afternoon when a report from a high class Georgia authority reached the market to the effect that developments recently have been favorable as to 92 per cent. and unfavorable as to but 8 per cent. of the belt. The fact that the crop is now entering on that stage where the danger lies in deficiency of rain and excess of temperature is mentioned by this authority. Reports from the Southern spot markets this afternoon added to the weakness being bearish, although they were not accompanied by speculative selling orders and the Southern spot markets remained far above the New York speculative parity. Today's news from Liverpool was not much of a factor, although during the American holiday interval there were wide changes in the English market which fitfully showed weakness under a pressure of local spot offers and crop news. Receipts at the ports today were 7,863 bales against 8,891 last week and 2,726 last year. For the week 55,000 bales against 55,633 last week and 15,802 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 785 bales against 1,384 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 10 points lower; middling uplands 11:30; middling gulf 11.55; sales 100 bales. Futures opened and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	Close.
July	9.55	9.57
August	9.57	9.42
September	9.38	9.27
October	9.22	9.14
November		8.95
December	9.04	8.97
January	9.02	8.94
February	9.01	8.94
March	9.01	8.94

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Quiet, 11 1-4: net receipts 5,977.

New Orleans—Steady, 11 1-8: net receipts 785.

Mobile—Net receipts 292.

Savannah—Dull, 11; net receipts 357.

Charleston—Quiet, 11; net receipts 257.

Wilmington—Quiet, 11 1-8; net receipts 76.

Norfolk—Quiet, 11 5-8; net receipts 98.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12.

New York—Quiet, 11.30

Boston—Quiet, 11.30.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.55; net receipts 25.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 7,863; Continent 1,394; stocks 248,240.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 12,104; Great Britain 300; France 770; Continent 6,718.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 8,243,232; Great Britain 2,849,529; France 830,054; Continent 3,251,107; Japan 190 291; Mexico 15,499.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Huston—Quiet, 11; net receipts 2,133.

Augusta—Quiet, 11 1-2; net receipts 304.

Memphis—Steady, 11 7-16; net receipts 536.

St. Louis—Dull, 11 5-8.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 700.

Louisville—Firm, 11 7-8.

Little Rock—Easy, 11; net receipts 52.

Total today—Net receipts 3,725; gross receipts 3,925; shipments 4,037; sales 1,090; stocks 99,392.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, July 6.—Cotton: Spot dull, prices three points higher. American middling fair 6.88; good middling 6.52; middling 6.24; low middling 5.83; good ordinary 5.28; ordinary 4.88.

The sales of the day were 5,000 bales of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 4,600 American. Receipts 1,000 bales, all American.

Futres opened quiet and closed firm on near months and steady on distant positions. American middling G. O. C.: July 5.67; July and August 5.60; August and September 5.26; September and October 5.08; October and November 5.00 1-2; November and December 4.85; December and January 4.92; January and February 4.90; February and March 4.91; March and April 4.92; April and May 4.92.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 6.—In the dry goods market today the mail orders came from all parts of the country and were gratifyingly large on staple cotton. Men's wear lines are being opened and fine and fancy white cotton goods are being shown for spring of 1909. Raw silk opened 20 points higher. An unofficial jute forecast received by cable from Calcutta says that the crop will be about three-fourths as large as last year.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, July 6.—The stock market threw off the lethargy in which it was bound last week and sprang into some degree of energy and animation. The day's transactions rose to a larger total than has been touched for a month past. There was no direct development in the day's news to account for the change in form and it was attributed to inference drawn by an element of speculative operators from the recent action of the market and which encouraged an embarkation on commitments of some magnitude. A feature of the day's dealings was the large orders coming from single sources, the number of buying orders for 40,000 shares and upwards in different stocks attracting much notice. In the bond market there was perceptible some buying that was believed to come from investment sources.

Money markets both here and abroad gave evidence of the renewed relation following the July settlements. Discounts were quotably lower in foreign moneys and the prevailing call loan rate here was 1 1-4 per cent., with manifest pressure to place funds. There was a sharp advance in the London copper market and the mining and smelting stocks were conspicuous in the day's advance. Large resumptions in the steel mills in the Pittsburg district were a helpful factor. Another reduction in two weeks ending June 24 of 36,696 in the number of surplus freight cars was contemplated with much satisfaction. The return to service of idle freight cars since the maximum out of service on April 29 has now reached the imposing figure of 100,307 leaving however, 313,298 cars still idle.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value $1,914,000. United States 2s declined 1-4 per cent. on call. Total sales today 508,900 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 6.—Money on call easy 1 to 1 1-4, ruling rate 1 1-4, closing bid 1, offered at 1 1-4. Time loans easy, sixty day 1 3-4 to 2 per cent., and ninety days 2 to 2 1-4 per cent., six months 3 1-2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3 1-2 to 4 per cent., sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.87 for demand and at 4.8570 to 4.8580 for sixty day bills. Commercial bills 4.85 1-4 to 4.85 3-8. Bar silver 54. Mexican dollars 46.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg	103 3-4
U. S. Refunding 2s cou	103 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	100
U. S. 3s cou	100 3-4
U. S. new 4s reg	121 1-4
U. S. new 4s cou	122 1-4
American Tobacco Co. 6s	105 3-8
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	91
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	98 3-4
L. & N. Unified 4s	97 1-2
Seaboard Air Line 4s	54
Southern Railway 5s	100
U. S. Steel 5s	98

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	67 7-8
American Car & Foundry	35
American Cotton Oil Co	30 3-4
Amr. Locomotive	49 1-2
Amr. Smelting & Ref. pfd	102
Amr. Sugar Refining	127 1-4
Amr. Tobacco pfd	90 1-2
Atchison	82 5-8
Atchison pfd	92 1-2
Atlantic oCast Line	90 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	88 1-8
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	83@86
Chesapeake & Ohio	41
Erie	19 5-8
Erie 1st pfd	34 1-4
Erie 2nd pfd	25 1-4
Kansas City Southern	23
Kansas City Southern pfd	55
L. & N.	105 5-8
New York Central	104 1-8
Norfolk & Western	70
Pennsylvania	122
People's Gas	92 1-2
Reading	116
Rock Island Co.	16 1-4
Rock Island Co. pfd	30
Standard Oil	600
Southern Pacific	87 1-4
Southern Pacific pfd	117 1-2
Southern Railway	17 1-4
Southern Railway pfd	45
U. S. Steel	38 3-4
U. S. Steel pfd	104 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical	23 1-2
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd	99
Seaboard Air Line	
Seaboard Air Line pfd	
Western Union	55

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, July 6.—Flour—Quiet but firm; Minnesota patents 5.25 to 5.55; winter patents 4.40 to 4.75.

Rye Flour—Quiet 4.25 to 4.60.

Corn Meal—Firm 1.60 to 1.65.

Rye—Dull; No. 2 western 83 1-2.

Wheat—Spot strong; No. 2 red 99 to 1.00 elevator. Options 1 1-4 to 1 1-2 net higher. July 99 1-8; September 96 1-2; December 97 3-8.

Corn—Spot strong; No. 2, 82 nominal elevator. Options 1-2c net higher. July 81 1-4; September 80 5-8.

Oats—Firmer; mixed 55 to 56.

Lard—Strong; western 9.60 to 9.70.

Tallow—Easy; city 5. 7-16.

Rice—Steady; domestic fair to extra 3 3-4 to 6 1-2.

Molasses—Quiet; 28 to 42.

Sugar—Raw; fair refining 3.89 to 3.92; centrifugal 96 test 4.39 to 4.42; confectioners A, 5.20; mould A, 5.75; cut loaf, 6.20; crushed, 6.10; powdered, 5.50; granulated, 5.40; cubes, 5.65.

Coffee—Spot quiet; Rio No. 7, 6 5-16c; Santos No. 4 8 3-4, mild quiet; Cordova 9 3-4 to 12 1-2. Futures unchanged to 10 points lower.

Butter—Easier; creamery 22 1-2 to 22 3-4.

Cheese—Steady; good to prime 9 3-4 to 10 1-4; do common 8 to 9 1-2; skims 3-4 to 8 1-4.

Eggs—Firm.

Cotton Seed Oil was active and higher on demand from shorts. Prime crude 38 nominal; do summer yellow 48; off summer yellow 43 1-2 to 44 1-2; good off summer yellow 43 to 46; prime white 49 to 52; prime winter 48 1-2 to 49.

Freights to Liverpool—Steady.

Cotton by steam 12c; grain by steam 1 1-4 to 1 1-2.

Peanuts—Steady; fancy handpicked 6 1-4 to 6 1-2; other domestic 3 1-4 to 5 1-2.

Potatoes—Firm; Norfolk best per barrel 2.75 to 3.25; eastern shore No 1, 2.50 to 3; southern 1.50 to 2.25; southern seconds 1.25 to 1.50; Jersey sweets per basket 1.00 to 2.00.

Cabbages—Dull, nearby per 100, 2.50 to 4.00.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, July 6.—Rain in Nebraska and higher prices for wheat at the principal European markets caused a sharp advance in the local wheat market, the September delivery closing at a net gain of 1 5-8. Corn was up 1 3-4. Oats were 1 1-4 to 1 3-8 higher and provisions 5 to 27 1-2 higher.

Leading futures were as follows:

	Open.	Highest.	Close.
Wheat.			
July ..	87 1-4	88 5-8	88 3-8
Sept ..	88 1-2	89 5-8	89 3-8
Dec. ol	90	91	90 7-8
Dec. ne	90	90 7-8	90 5-8
Corn.			
July ..	73 1-4	74 1-8	74
Sept ..	72 3-8	73 1-2	73 1-2
Dec. ..	62 3-8	63 3-4	63 5-8
May ..	62	63 5-8	63 1-2
Oats.			
July ol	48 1-2	49	49
July ne	48	48 1-4	48 1-4
Sept ..	41 3-4	42 3-8	42 1-4
Dec. ..	42 3-4	42 1-8	43
May ..	44 1-2	45 1-8	45
Mess Pork, per bbl.			
July ..	15 70	15 70	15 65
Sept ..	15 65	15 90	15 82 1-2
Oct. ..	15 97 1-2	15 97 1-2	15 90
Lard, per 100 lbs.			
July ..	9 42 1-2	9 45	9 42 1-2
Sept ..	9 50	9 60	9 52 1-2
Oct. ..	9 62 1-2	9 65	9 65
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.			
July ..	8 67 1-2	8 70	8 70
Sept ..	8 77 1-2	8 87 1-2	8 85
Oct. ..	8 95	8 95	8 92 1-2

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, steady. No. 3 spring wheat 95 to 1.07; No. 2 red 90 to 91. No. 2 corn 74 to 74 1-2; No. 2 yellow 75 to 75 1-2. No. 3 white oats 52 to 55. No. 2 rye 75 to 76. Fair to choice malting 66 to 70. Short ribs, sides (loose) 8.37 1-2 to 8.75. Mess pork, per bbl. 15.62 1-2 to 15.75. Lard, per 100 lbs., 9.42 1-2. Short clear sides (boxed) 8.87 1-2 to 9.00. Whiskey, basis of high wines 1.35.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 6.—Rosin steady at $3.20. Turpentine quiet at 43c.

Charleston, July 6.—Turpentine steady 38 1-2; sales none. Rosin steady; sales none. Quote: A B C, 2.70; D, 3.05; E, 3.15.

Savannah, July 6.—Turpentine firm, sales 837; receipts 1,368; shipments 9,244. Rosin firm; sales 3,651; receipts 3,326; shipments 7,881; stock 102,351. Quote: A B C, 2.75 to 2.85; D, 2.95; E, 3.10; F, 3.20; G, 3.20; H, 3.65 to 3.75; I, 4.10; K, 5.25; M, 5.65; N, 6.10; WG, 6.45; WW, 6.50.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 6, 1908.

C. C. Railroad—12 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—148 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 13 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—106 bales cotton; 32 casks spirits turpentine; 51 barrels rosin; 7 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—4 bales cotton; 40 casks spirits turpentine; 11 barrels rosin; 1 barrel tar.

W. & N. Railroad—5 bales cotton; 9 casks spirits turpentine; 37 barrels rosin; 38 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—21 casks spirits turpentine; 70 barrels rosin.

Str. City of Fayetteville—1 bale cotton; 31 casks spirits turpentine; 151 barrels rosin; 26 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—264 bales cotton; 134 casks spirits turpentine; 320 barrels rosin; 1 barrel tar; 96 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Anslem (Br.), 968 tons, Logan, Belize to New York, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Strathcona (Br.), 249 tons, Gould, Bardados. C. D. Maffitt.

Grantley (Br.), 1,154 tons, Henderson, Pomaron, Heide & Co.

Glenwood (Br.), 1,265 tons, Richardson, Key West, Alexander Sprunt &Son.

Schooners.

J. Howell Leeds, 393 tons, Roope, C. D. Maffitt.

Alice P. Turner, 16 tons, Bonsall, Charleston to New York, C. D. Maffitt.

Edith H. Symington, 881 tons, Stile, Port Tampa, C. D. Maffitt.

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SOME EXCITING SCENES

When the Claims of Contestants Were Being Heard Before Sub-Committee—The Charges of Packed Committees.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Denver, Colo., July 6.—In record time today the Democratic National Committee disposed of all contests before it, with the exception of those of Pennsylvania and Idaho which went over until tomorrow morning. The general result was to sustain the delegates who came with credentials from their State and District Conventions. A total of seventy-six seats were involved in the contests from Illinois, New York, Pennsylvania, Idaho, Iowa and the District of Columbia. The work was done by six sub-committees four of which reported today to the full body.

Roger C. Sullivan, of Chicago, was an easy winner of the twenty contested seats from Cook county, which were disputed by Robert E. Burke and his associates. Senator Fred T. DuBois was sustained by the sub-committee which headed the Mormon contests from Idaho, but the committee was not ready to make its report to the full committee before that body adjourned. Tom Johnson, of Cleveland, was a winner in the Nineteenth Ohio District where he triumphed over the sub-committee, winning out by the vote of 26 to 24 before the National Committee. The Rockwell delegates were displaced and the two Johnson delegates seated in their places. In the Ninth Ohio District, the Barber faction retained the two contested seats over the protest of Johnson.

Patrick McCarren of Brooklyn was ignored in his contest against Charles F. Murphy for the twelve seats in King's county, New York. Before the sub-committee he became so abusive of the Murphy and Coler men that he was not permitted to proceed. The full committee sustained this action without debate.

In the District of Columbia contest, where the entire delegation of six members was involved, the committee divided the seats between the two contesting parties.

Joseph Howley, of the Thirty-first Pennsylvania district, whose right to his seat was disputed by Guffey, was sustained by the sub-committee. It was contended that Howley was not a Democrat, but had organized a party of his own so called "the Bryan party."

The Pennsylvania contests that involved eight seats in the city of Philadelphia and three in Allegheny county, proved probably the most bitter discussion that was placed before any of the sub-committees. Charles Daly, of Philadelphia, appeared for the contestants and arranged Chas. P. Donnelly and Thomas J. Ryan, the leaders of the Guffey faction in these districts in the bitterest manner. He charged that the eight Guffy delegates were elected by the aid of Republicans and that the rankest frauds were perpetrated. Both Donnelly and Ryan, who spoke in support of the regular delegation, replied in kind to the charges. Ryan became bitter in his denunciation of Daly, calling him "puppy" and "up-start" and finally grew so violent in his denunciation that Committeeman Allison, of Virginia, called him to order and caused him to withdraw his statements. The sub-committee took these contests under advisement and will report tomorrow morning.

The Illinois contests were also fraught with personalities and bitter denunciations of opposing sides. Roger Sullivan addressed the sub-committee in defense of the regular Cook county delegation, asserting the entire regularity of proceedings in connection with their selection. Sullivan's chief contention was that the illegalities charged by the Burke faction did not apply to the election of delegates to the national convention but under the law had reference only to State conventions. In this he was sustained by the sub-committee. Jas. C. Dahlman, of Omaha, Bryan's close adviser, was one of the three members of the sub-committee who decided the Illinois contest in Sullivan's favor, the other two members, Atwood, of Kansas and Wade of Iowa, being also strong Bryan supporters.

After the decision the Burke men declared that they would carry their case to the committee on credentials, and if defeated there, to the floor of the convention.

Leaders of several of the contesting delegations, incensed by their defeat, charged that the sub-committees were packed against them

The members of the new National committee elected at the State caucuses held today and tonight (a number of the delegations not meeting until tomorrow) include: Georgia, Clark P. Howell; Kentucky, Urey Woodson; Maryland, J. Fred C. Talbot; New York, Charles F. Murphy; North Carolina, Josephus Daniels; Pennsylvania, James M. Guffey; West Virginia, John T. McGraw; Virginia, J. Taylor Ellyson.

Captain John Wilkes, founder of the Mecklenburg Iron Works, for 50 years a vestryman of St. Peter's Episcopal church and a leading citizen of Charlotte, died yesterday morning, at the age of 81. Captain Wilkes graduated first out of 135 in his class at Annapolis and was a son of Rear Admiral Wilkes of the United States Navy.

TAFT IN GAME OF BALL

Politicians and Newspaper Men Line Up on the Diamond—Taft Most Makes a Home Run—Newspaper Men Win Out.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Hot Springs, Va., July 6.—William H. Taft, Republican candidate for the Presidency, today distinguished himself on the diamond when a game of baseball was played between the statesmen sojourning here to confer with him on sundry matters relating to the coming political campaign and the newspaper men who are endeavoring to keep the public informed upon the candidate's daily actions. The game was the result of the activity of Senator Murray Crane, who has had a long conference with the Republican candidate while here. Mr. Crane had no sooner finished his breakfast today than he began planning for a contest of skill between the statesmen and the correspondents.

The statesmen's nine was made up of Senator Crane, pitcher; Representative Burke, of Pennsylvania, catcher; John C. Eversman, secretary to Representative McKinley, first base; Representative Burton, of Ohio, second base; Representative Lawrence, of Massachusetts, third base; Representative McKinley, centre field; Senator Beveridge, left field, and William H. Taft, right field. When the game began Mr. Taft was having a talk with Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, and they gave their proxies to two negro boys, who gained them more glory in the matter of fielding and batting than they themselves scored after they finally finished their talk and assumed the responsibility of the game.

The game was hotly contested, but the correspondents lost out after eight innings by a score of 14 to 11.

The correspondents went ouside of their own numbers for a second baseman, placing Charles Taft in that responsible position. Charlie distinguished himself when his father went to the bat and struck the second ball delivered to him. The ball went whizzing toward second base and it looked as if it would give Mr. Taft a home run, but the alert Charlie nipped his father's hopes by catching him out.

The game was played on the local ball grounds just after a heavy rain and as the participants sprawled in the mud in their frantic efforts to run the bases the entire party was rather the worse for wear when the 8th inning had been played.

Mrs. Taft came out to see the game which was witnessed by a large number of spectators from the hotel.

INCREASE OF FREIGHT RATES

Announcement to Southern Points From Ohio and Mississippi.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Washington, July 6.—A few weeks ago notice was given by the Southeastern railways that an increase of rates on fresh meats would be made into Carolina territory from Ohio and Mississippi river crossings. The inter-State Commerce Commission now has been informed that a general advance in rates, effective August 1st, will be made by Southeastern lines on all commodities, of Southern classification taking classes B, C, D, and F. from Ohio and Mississippi crossings to all Southeastern points. The increase amounts to three cents per 100 on Closs B, two cents per 100 on classes C. and D, and four cents per barrel on class F. The increases are on packing-house products, grain and grain products and flour in sacks and barrels. While no announcement is made with respect to fresh meats, the rate on them now is based on 10 cents over the rate on class B commodities and it is likely that an additional increase on fresh meats eventually will be made.

OFF FOR THE NORTH POLE.

Commander Peary Sets Sail on His Adventurous Voyage.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, July 6.—With the Peary Arctic Club's pennant fluttering from her main truck and the Stars and Stripes at her mizzen, the Arctic exploration steamer Roosevelt left her pier at East 24th street today carrying Commander Robert E. Peary, who is to head another expedition in quest of the North Pole. The Roosevelt, accompanied by a government tug, proceeded to near City Island, where she anchored for the night to permit the adjustment of her compasses. Tomorrow she will go to Oyster Bay where President Roosevelt will board her to bid goodbye to her commander and crew. The Roosevelt will then head for Sydney, Cape Breton, where she will stop to coal.

Commander and Mrs. Peary will lunch with President and Mrs. Roosevelt tomorrow at Oyster Bay. After the luncheon President Roosevelt will board the ship. Commander Peary will return to New York and will join his ship at Sydney.

HESTER'S COTTON REPORT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 6.—Secretary Hester's statement of the visible supply of cotton issued today shows the total visible to be 2,559,235 against 2,711,537 last week and 3,453,037 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 1,617,189 against 1,733,491 last week and 2,138,037 last year and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 942,046 against 978,046 last week and 1,135,000 last year. Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and Continental Europe 1,538,000 against 2,137,000. In Egypt 118,000 against 74,000 last year; in India 488,000 against 747,000 last year and in the United States 415,000 against 495,000 last year.

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Excitement Over The Prospects of The Nomination of Mr. Bryan.

EVERYTHING BRYAN WAY

New York Delegation Holding Aloof Upsets Opposition's Plans—At Sea Over Candidate for the Vice President.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Denver, Colo., July 6.—Above the hubbub of this last strenuous day before the Democratic National convention as the main development of the day stands out prominently the fact that the wave of Bryan sentiment has increased to apparently overwhelming and irresistible proportions, and the nomination of the Nebraskan seems now assured beyond any reasonable doubt unless some unlooked for reversal of present conditions occurs.

All efforts to unite on a Vice President have proved futile and the convention will begin its deliberations tomorrow with the contest for second place wide open.

A majority of the Pennsylvania delegation in caucus named Charles M. Duffey, as national committee in open definance of Mr. Bryan's demand for his displacement, and on the heels of Guffey's stinging public arraignment of Bryan as a "hypocrite, ingrate and falsifier" a minority of the Pennsylvania delegation held a rump caucus which sought to depose Guffey from leadership and install James Kerr, a Bryan man as Pennsylvania's leader.

The New York delegation appointed a committee of ten to draft a platform and named Judge Alton B. Parker, the Democratic standard bearer of 1904, as the New York representative on the platform committee.

The New York caucus was silent on the Presidential and Vice Presidential situation and New York still fails to show her colors.

The Democratic National committee held its first meeting to consider contests, which resulted in the dimissal of Senator McCarren's New York contests and the seating of Roger Sullivan's Illinois delegates.

The foregoing are only the main features of an eventful day marked by the culmination of that noisy demonstration which ushers a national convention, with delegations and their hosts of fellows pouring into town, with bands and marching clubs vieing in turbulent demonstration and with streets and hotel lobbies filled with surging crowds. Amid all this confusion the men of action have worked unceasingly. Most of the States effected their organization, electing members of the committees, which will serve tomorrow. Aside from the many private conferences over candidates and platform, the day has been one of preparation and business detail for the coming assemblage.

The arrivals during the day and tonight have practically completed the roster of State delegations and have given an idea of the aggregate strength commanded by the Bryan forces. There has been one continuous swelling of the Bryan strength with only scattering accessions for other candidates. This has become so apparent that the nomination of Mr. Bryan seems assured, not only by the required two-thirds vote of the convention, but by practically a unanimous vote, except that of Minnesota and Delaware, whose representatives still insist they will be steadfast to the end to their favorite sons, and scattering anti-Bryan votes from Georgia, New York, Pennsylvania and Maine and several other localities—a scattered opposition dwarfed by the magnitude of Mr. Bryan's total.

While this steady tide of Bryan strength has been setting in, the allied opposition has been looking intently, but vainly toward New York, for it has been recognized that Chief Murphy, the present genius of the delegation, held a key which might loosen a movement for or against the Nebraskan. With New York taking the lead and throwing its 78 votes against him, Guffey and his Pennsylvania cohorts would have followed suit; Georgia was wavering and likely to turn a block of Southern strength away from Bryan and this with the organized strength of Johnson and Gray might have given vitality to the allied opposition. But all these reckonings have come to naught because of New York's persistent silence, Mr. Murphy is neither for Bryan nor against him, and with this leaderless, aimless position, the allied opposition has crumbled to pieces. If Murphy has waited for some one else to take the lead, as is generally believed, he will have the satisfaction of going back to New York with the declaration that it would have been lacking in political sagacity for New York to act against Bryan until the aggregate strength of the opposition was demonstrated to be sufficient to defeat him.

For the first time tonight the allied opposition disclosed figures showing what might have happened had New York announced at the outset that its 78 votes would be swung against Bryan. According to this table, a total of 349 votes, or considerable more than the necessary number to block a Bryan nomination would have swung into line with New York; the claim in detail being as follows:

Alabama, 1; Florida, 7; Georgia, 26; Louisiana, 18; West Virginia, 14; North Carolina, 24; Connecticut, 12; Delaware, 6; Maine, 11; Massachusetts, 12; New Hampshire, 4; New Jersey, 14; New York, 78; Pennsylvania, 48; Rhode Island, 4; Vermont, 8; Minnesota, 22; Ohio, 12; Wisconsin, 6; Alaska, 6; Porto Rico, 6. The total vote of the convention is 1002, the one-third necessary to prevent a nomination being 334 whereas the allied opposition claimed 15 in excess of this requirement had New York furnished the rally point.

A meeting was held late this afternoon of the various anti-Bryan elements during which the situation was fully canvassed and a practical agreement reached that it was futile to continue the fight in view of New York's inaction.

The heated contest in the Pennsylvania delegation ranged around Mr. Guffey, but his victory, his enemies claim, is less significant than might appear. The hopes of the Bryan men are centered on the nine contesting delegates from Pennsylvania. As these contestants are Bryan men, they are practically assured of being seated by the Bryan committee on credentials, and once seated, Mr. Guffey's victory of today may be succeeded by Mr. Bryan's final triumph tomorrow. Against this; however, Guffy secured the signature today of forty Pennsylvania delegates whose seats are uncontested, and who have an undisputed majority of the 68 Pennsylvania delegates whose seats are uncontested, and who have an undisputed majority of the 68 Pennsylvania votes regardless of contest.

Interest is turning tonight to the opening session of the convention which begins at noon tomorrow. The appointment of the committees on credentials, rules, and permanent organization will be followed by the presentation of a resolution in respect to the memory of Grover Cleveland. Judge Parker has prepared a new draft of these resolutions, completely eliminating politics and dealing only with the eminent public services of Mr. Cleveland. If, however, there is the slightest disposition on the part of any of Mr. Bryan's friends to object to the Parker draft, owing to the feeling created by its early provisions, it will not be presented. Tomorrow's proceedings will be brief and after the preliminary organization is effected an adjournment will be taken as a mark of respect to Mr. Cleveland.

OPPOSED TO MR. BRYAN.

Georgia Delegation to Vote Against Him if They Find Support.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Denver, Colo., July 6.—Georgia is against Bryan if there is any chance of encompassing his defeat, but probably will vote for him Thursday next unless it is demonstrated in the meantime that a decided stand in opposition can be made. This position of the delegation was announced at the conclusion of the caucus this afternoon. It was said that Georgia came to Denver expecting to find an anti-Bryan standard about which they could gather with other opposing delegations, the uninstructed delegation from New York having been looked to as among the opposition factors. Finding New York inactive, however, the delegation has practically announced that it will be "left alone in a wilderness."

The delegation enthusiastically endorsed Clark Howell for the Vice Presidency and determined to present his name to the convention and to start an active campaign in his behalf. Mr. Howell also was named to succeed himself on the National committee.

The Georgia delegation will meet again tomorrow when some definite plan of action may be made. A Gray representative has been invited to appear before the caucus to present the claims of Delaware's candidate for the Presidency.

W. S. West, who was first elected as the State's representative on the committee to notify the Presidential nominee, declined the office on the ground that he "refused to notify Bryan."

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